Today's Weather
Fair

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THE WEATHER

Fair today and tomorrow, with slowly rising temperature is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 36 and the minimum 28 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:38 a. m., and set cloudy at 5:27 p. m., yesterday. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Fair.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.53	30	68	N.W.	Cloudy
8 p. m....	30.65	30	92	N.	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 24:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	38	33	Mean	32	24
Minimum	28	15	Precipitation ..	0	.12
Nor. temp. 31 yrs..	30		Nor. precip. 31 yrs..	.10	
Excess for day....	2		Def'c for day.....	.10	
Exc. since Jan. 1..	198		Def'c. since Jan. 1..	.71	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Thursday and Friday; slowly rising temperature; fresh northeast, shifting to southeast, winds.

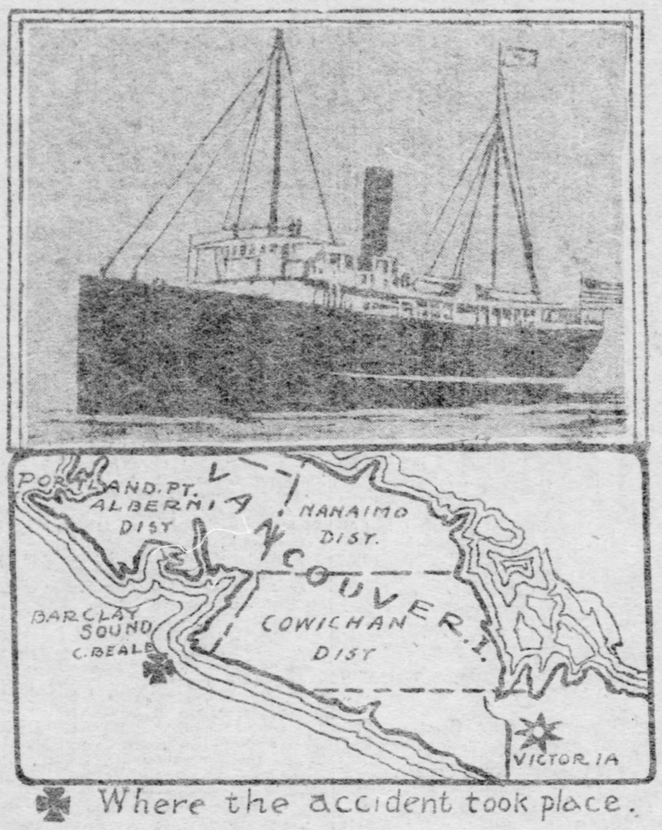
West Virginia and Ohio—Fair and warmer Thursday; Friday, increasing cloudiness; fresh northeast, shifting to southeast, winds.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Omaha	24 Clear	Cincinnati	34 Clear
Peoria	38 Clear	Columbus	32 Clear
Buffalo	24 Clear	Washington	36 Clear
Oklahoma	46 Clear	St. Louis	36 Clear
Concordia	46 PtCldy	Indianapolis	34 Clear
Wichita	48 PtCldy	Chicago	30 PtCldy
Abilene	52 Clear	Grand Haven	26 Cloudy
Amarillo	44 PtCldy	Dubuque	24 Cloudy
Cairo	48 Clear	Grand Rapids	24 Cloudy
Duluth	12 Cloudy	Des Moines	30 Cloudy
Marquette	12 Clear	Davenport	36 Cloudy
Madison	30 Cloudy	Parkersburg	32 Clear
Louisville	36 Clear	Shreveport	46 Clear
Nashville	40 Clear	Philadelphia	36 Clear
Memphis	40 Clear	Baltimore	38 Clear
Vicksburg	44 Clear	New York	36 Clear
El Paso	48 PtCldy	Kansas City	36 Cloudy
Atlanta	42 Clear	Spring'd, Mo.	40 Clear
Norfolk	42 Clear	Springf'd, Ill.	30 Clear
Cheyenne	50 Clear	New Orleans	44 Clear
Lander	28 PtCldy	Montgomery	44 Clear
Denver	44 Clear	Jacksonville	48 Clear
Pueblo	44 PtCldy	Chattanooga	40 Clear
Santa Fe	30 Clear	San Antonio	58 Clear
Salt Lake	34 Clear	Little Rock	44 Clear
Havre	46 Cloudy	Fort Smith	40 Clear
Helena	38 PtCldy	Gd. Junction	32 Clear
Bismarck	4 Clear	Rapid City	36 Clear
St. Paul	14 Clear	Valentine	40 Clear
Galveston	58 Clear	Yellowstone	32 Cloudy
Palestine	50 Clear	Cleveland	28 Cloudy
Huron	16 Clear	*Los Angeles	52 Clear

*Observation taken at 8 a. m.

HELPLESS PEOPLE ON DOOMED VESSEL DIE FAR FROM AID



Where the accident took place.

The Wrecked Valencia and the Scene of the Disaster.

RESCUERS FOILED IN EFFORT BY BIG STORM

Light of Wrecked Steamer Valencia is Had, but Heavy Breakers Cause Terror.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SEATTLE, WASH., Jan. 24.—A special from Bamfield says the Valencia has gone to pieces and all on board are lost.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 24.—The Ottawa Salvor reports that when she left the wreck there were some twenty or thirty persons clinging to the rigging. The Valencia is almost submerged, only the after part of the hurricane deck being above water. There was slight hope of rescue on account of the heavy sea.

Messages demanding that a boat with coal, oil and other supplies be sent to render aid have been received. The latest report from Camp Beale say the survivors at Darlington have reported there still remains some alive aboard the ship. Those on the ship, it is said, are preparing to fire a line ashore as soon as the rescuers are ready to fasten it to a bluff for a breeches buoy support.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 24.—The correspondent of the Associated Press, on board the steamer Salvor, has wired from Bamfield:

The steamer Valencia, which was wrecked with 50 passengers and a crew of 60, yesterday morning, was located by the steamer Queen at 9 a. m. today, on Point Klanaway, about five miles from Cape Beale.

The tug Czar went in to investigate and reported that the steamer went ashore, stern first, with her decks swept clear with the exception of a small part of the house and her two masts standing. No person could be seen alive on board.

In the rigging of the foremast was what the captain of the tug Czar took to be a signal, although he was unable to say whether it was a piece of sail or a human being clinging to the rigging.

The steamer Salvor stood in for about two miles, but was unable to go any farther, as a heavy sea and a westerly gale was blowing, making it highly dangerous, if not impossible, to make a closer approach.

Close to the Wreck.

The Czar was within three-quarters of a mile of the wreck, but could get no further toward the Valencia, and after making as complete an examination as possible, she returned to the Queen and Salvor.

The latter steamer and the tug Czar then left for Bamfield creek, the Queen standing by her companion liner. When the Salvor left the scene there was a heavy swell from the southwest, and rain was falling in torrents.

The Queen reported having heard three gunshots shortly before the arrival of the Salvor, but nothing of any living person was to be seen.

Advices from Cape Beale say that 15 men have arrived, one of whom is the boatswain, the others being sailors. They reported a passenger list of 94 and a crew of 60 and said that when they left the wreck yesterday morning there were about 100 persons on board, a large percentage of whom were women and children, who were on the quarter deck.

Many Drowned.

Two boats were smashed alongside and all the occupants drowned. The Valencia left San Francisco about 11 o'clock Saturday and heard no sound and saw no light presaging danger. The officers were running by dead reckoning and were on the lookout for Umatilla reef lightship when the steamer struck.

She was backed off after she struck, but the water filled the engine room, the fires were extinguished and the engine crew forced out of the room, although not before the Valencia had been driven hard on the beach.

Among the survivors were the boat's crew that was sent for assistance and the

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AMENDMENT WILL GIVE CHANCE TO M'KEESPORT

Chamber of Commerce Greater City Bill Favored in Committee—Will Be Changed.

Special Telegram From
WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 24.—The Greater Pittsburgh bill is to be so amended that it cannot possibly apply to McKeesport. This was decided on tonight when Representative Cook received the following telegram from D. T. Watson and George W. Guthrie, the authors of the proposed act:

We prefer the chamber of commerce bill in its present shape and deem the proposed Douglass amendment unnecessary, but if the Douglass people insist we think the addition of the words, 'other than boroughs' after the words, 'intervening land,' will not render the bill unconstitutional.

Today E. P. Douglass, who is looking after the legal end of the McKeesport annexation committee, had a conference with Mr. Watson in Pittsburgh, to determine whether the bill would place his city in line for admission to the greater city without the right of a separate vote. This occasioned the above telegram, which means that the annexation of boroughs is excluded from the provisions of the act. Without the right to annex boroughs, McKeesport cannot be reached. This action will probably bring the support of Representative Woodward of McKeesport to the bill.

The house municipal corporations committee this afternoon reported out the chamber of commerce bill by a vote of 17 to 5, and negatived the bill prepared by the Merchants and Manufacturers' association. Tomorrow morning the amendment suggested in the telegram will be made and Representative Shenkel will report the bill to the house at his convenience.

There was some debate in the committee. Mohr of Berks precipitated it by early making a motion to have the chamber of commerce bill come out and the Merchants and Manufacturers' measure negatived. Shannon of Luzerne wanted to know why the Allegheny people were opposed. Shenkel of Pittsburgh explained the opposition was simply a matter of politics.

Those voting to report the bill were Shern, Crout, Hill, Philadelphia; Flyte, Westmoreland; Sitler, Palmer, Schuylkill; Thompson, Chester; Johnson, Mercer; Reitmeyer, Lycoming; Fertig, Lebanon; Mohr, Berks; Landis, Montgomery; Ehrhardt, Lackawana; Shenkel, Allegheny; Ober, Dauphin; Blough, Lancaster; Haines, Lehigh. The nays were Woodward, Allegheny; Maggerty, Huntingdon; Morris, Philadelphia; Witherspoon, Franklin; Hannon, Luzerne. The M. & M. bill was negatived by a vive voce vote.

Mr. Cook says he is satisfied there will be no difficulty in passing the bill through the house. This opinion is confirmed by talks with members from all points in the state. There is an inclination to do what the governor wants.

Representative Riley says he will support the chamber of commerce bill. While he would rather see Allegheny get a separate vote, he believes the present action is necessary to overcome the attempts of politicians to block consolidation through selfish motives. With the exception of Edlis, the Pittsburgh members are for the bill, and it is probable there will not be as many votes from Allegheny county against this measure as there were in opposition to the Cook bill at the regular session.

President John Eaton of the chamber of commerce and the other men here to attend the hearing on the bill, left for home this afternoon, satisfied the Pittsburgh legislation will be secured.

Grant Concessions to the Jews.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 24.—Further concessions it was announced today have been granted to the Jews in the governments of Russia, where they enjoy the right of domicile, by the addition of one hundred and thirty-three places in the country districts where they will be permitted to reside without hindrance.

INSURRECTION IN THE HOUSE IS OF SHORT DURATION

The Way Is Finally Cleared for Passage of the Statehood Bill.

PLEDGES NOT KEPT

Administration Forces Carry the Day After a Hot Contest. Many Members Absent.

BEDE CONVULSES THE HOUSE

Special Telegram From
L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Like the Fenian uprising and many other revolutions, the insurrection in the house of representatives against the statehood bill fizzled out today. The administration forces carried the day, the rule for the passage of a joint statehood bill, admitting Oklahoma and Indian Territory as one state and Arizona and New Mexico as another, was adopted, and then the house proceeded to a discussion of the bill.

The trouble started when Mr. Dalzell from the committee on rules reported a resolution providing that the statehood bill be taken up immediately and discussed until Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when without intervening motion or debate a vote will be taken. This gave no opportunity for a separate vote on the admission of each of the two states, the thing the insurgents have been insisting upon.

There was a debate of forty-five minutes on a side, in which the statehood question was mentioned but the greater attention was paid to the apparent inconsistencies of the insurgents, many of whom in the last congress had voted for a rule identical with this one.

Proves a Grand Fizzle.

Mr. Williams controlled the time for the opposition and he paroled it out among the insurgent Republicans, knowing the Democrats were all in line anyhow, and hoping the remarks of the Republicans might influence some of their colleagues.

Then came the roll call. There was silence in the house which was broken by the "aye" of Mr. Acheson of Pennsylvania, whose name is first on the list. The call had not proceeded more than half way through when it became apparent that the insurrection was falling by the wayside. Here and there a Republican voted with the Democrats, but so many who had been expected to stand with the insurgents voted straight that it was easily seen that the rule would be adopted.

The result was 192 for and 165 against the rule. Forty-three Republicans voted with the Democrats against the rule. The insurgents had been claiming anywhere from fifty-seven to seventy-one.

Absentees Were Numerous.

The Democratic members who were absent and not paired were Southall of Virginia, who is ill with pneumonia; McDermott of New Jersey, who is in Providence hospital; Hearst of New York, who was just absent; Cochran of New York, who is in California for his health; Tim Sullivan of New York, whose absence is unexplained further than that he is sore on congress anyhow, and Broussard of Louisiana.

But two Republicans were absent and not paired. They were Fordney of Michigan and Young of Michigan. They had been counted as insurgents but the administration whip reasoned with them and they decided they had pressing business at home.

Prince of Illinois and Hogg of Colorado were won away from the insurgent camp at the last moment. They were present but failed to vote. But two members from Pennsylvania voted against the rule, one of them being the only Democratic member of the delegation, Mr. Kline, and the other being Mr. McCreary of Philadelphia. It was rather expected that Mr. Smith of Punxsutawney would

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SULTAN IS ALARMED AT ACTS OF RAISULI

Bandit Assassinates Envoys and Commander of District. Amusement Renounced.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PARIS, Jan. 24.—The Echo de Paris' correspondent at Tangier says: The Anjera tribe sent three notables to Fez to offer presents to the sultan. After leaving Fez they were not heard from and their bodies have just been found in the territory of the bandit Raisuli. The Anjeras accuse Raisuli of assassinating the notables in order to obtain the letters which they were carrying.

Representatives of the tribe today came to Tangier to demand justice from the representatives of the sultan, but as he is incapable of giving them satisfaction the tribesmen are likely to immediately attack Raisuli, who is strongly ensconced in a fortress at Zinsi.

It has been learned that Raisuli procured the assassination yesterday of the commander of the district Oudija, his two sons and his son-in-law. The supposed cause is revenge for complaints, the proofs of which the bandit found in letters taken from the murdered Anjeras.

The sultan is in a state of great perplexity and is extremely nervous. He has renounced all amusements and impatiently awaits the arrival each day of the couriers from Algeciras, who bring him news of the progress of the Moroccan conference.

ARTMAN IN CUSTODY.

Man Who Found R. K. Lewis Dead, Is Again Put Through Examination by Authorities.

WARREN, O., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—W. S. Artman, who discovered the murder of R. K. Lewis at West Farmington last Friday night, was brought here tonight and subjected to a searching cross-examination by Prosecutor Attorney Wilkins and Sheriff Charles Moser. The officers have been at West Farmington since Sunday and today walked 15 miles through muddy roads to get their prisoner.

One of the officials stated tonight that although every clue has been run down so far no evidence has been secured which would justify anyone being held for the death of Lewis.

FLOOD CAUSES BIG LOSS OF LIFE AND DAMAGE

Rivers Overflow Their Banks, Washing Out Valuable Timber and Railroad Property.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CLARKSBURG, W. VA., Jan. 24.—Following the flood of Monday night another more serious and disastrous flood visited Richwood and vicinity late last night. A rainstorm resembling a waterspout, passed over that section of the state, and all streams became raging torrents. Elk, Holly and Cherry rivers overflowed their banks, sweeping away houses, bridges and millions of feet of valuable lumber. The water was three feet deep in the streets and the Baltimore & Ohio passenger depot was put out of commission.

Fifteen Italians belonging to a section gang were drowned. All dwellings and business places were flooded, and in many instances the inhabitants barely escaped with their lives. At Curtin two railroad bridges belonging to the Pardee Curtin Lumber Company were washed out. Ten miles of the Holly River & Addison railroad was almost washed out. At Richwood this morning no train could reach the place.

Communication with the place is almost cut off. The Baltimore & Ohio railroad ordered 30 carloads of cinders sent there at once from Grafton, W. Va. The loss is estimated at $2,000,000. The railroads lost $1,000,000 and the damage to residents, business places and industries brings the total up to the $2,000,000. Hundreds of people are homeless, and are being taken care of by farmers.

GIVES THE LOVE CLASP BEFORE CROWDED HOUSE

Miss Roosevelt Visits Congress and Is Joined in the Executive Gallery by Congressman Longworth.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Two of the most interested spectators of the spirited proceedings in the house today were Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Alice. They were shown into the executive gallery, where they at once became the objects of interest to the hundreds who thronged the galleries on each side.

While the debate on the rule for the passage of the statehood bill was in progress, Representative Longworth of Cincinnati, who next month is to wed Miss Roosevelt, came into the executive gallery. As he walked into the row of seats behind them, Miss Alice slipped a daintily gloved hand out of her furs and the young congressman gave it a brief but loving squeeze, which was not overlooked by the crowd.

Mrs. and Miss Roosevelt, Mr. Longworth and a few friends were entertained by Representative Morrell of Pennsylvania at luncheon in the room of the committee on militia, of which Mr. Morrell is chairman.

Bachelors' Stringent Rule.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Fourteen young men have organized a bachelors club. One rule is if a member is found in the company of one of the other sex, that member shall be debarred until he has persuaded his gentler friend to organize an "old maid's assembly," and he is to provide a banquet for the remainder of the club.

Danced in the Dime Novel Way.

BEAVER, PA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—With a revolver John Baker created a panic in a traction car a short distance below Beaver by commanding a fellow passenger to dance. The man refused and Baker persuaded him to go through a few steps by firing three shots through the floor at his feet. Baker was finally arrested.

POSSE IN HILLS HUNTING FOR BLACK HAND MEMBERS

Over 100 Warrants to Be Sworn Out and Served Today.

EVIDENCE IS FOUND

Chief Logan Proposes to Rid Washington County of All Anarchists.

PURSUIT IN THE DARKNESS

Special Telegram From
JOHN P. COWAN, Staff Correspondent.

MONONGAHELA, PA., Jan. 24.—Warrants will be sworn out tomorrow for the arrest of more than 100 alleged members of the Italian "Black Hand" society. Chief of Police Leo Logan of Monongahela has started out singlehanded to rid Washington county mining regions of anarchists, and its bad element of foreigners. Throughout the night with a posse he scoured the lonely hills back of the Monogahela river, and dragged the skulkers from their hiding places. Chief Logan's crusade is remarkable, because he is practically unaided in his daring enterprise, and is proceeding despite the secret threats of the infuriated Italians.

This afternoon a meeting of foreigners of anarchistic principles was held in Courtney, a small suburb of Monongahela, and violent speeches were made denouncing the government and calling down vengeance upon the head of the irrepressible chief of police. Vincenzio Baldi and Pietro Gwiesvalda became so rabid in their talk that John Eckert, the proprietor of the hotel where the meeting was held, closed the house against the band.

Discovery of Much Evidence.

The arrest of John Spada, the reputed chief of the reds in the Monongahela valley, led to the development of interesting details connected with a treasonable organization which for several years has been known to exist among some local foreigners. Spada's house was filled with socialistic literature and on the walls hung an allegorical picture of Bresci, the assassin of King Humbert. In addition to this there were found a number of raffle tickets and a list of the contributors. The proceeds from the sale of these were used to further the anarchistic propaganda, and Chief Logan declares that every name on the list is that of an anarchist, or member of the "Black Hand."

This afternoon Chief Logan learned that Levi Constantina, alias Pietro Foraki, said to be the secretary of the Monongahela valley band, was living in a house near the Rocky Hole mine, about two miles from Finleyville. Shortly after dark Chief Logan and Special Officer Charles Thomas and a posse of citizens, started for Finleyville. Burgess John Gaston of Finleyville, with John Dawson, his chief of police, were on hand at the trolley station to meet the posse.

Charged With Many Crimes.

Logan had a warrant for Constantina charging him with "conspiracy, blackmail, extortion, murder and other crimes against the commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the government of the United States." The information had been made before Burgess T. H. Billick of Monongahela.

"You'll never find your man tonight," said Burgess Gaston. "It is very dark and the roads are bad. It will take your posse two hours to reach Rocky Hole."

"Yes," counseled Chief Dawson, "you'd better wait a day or two, and I think we can find them."

But the doughty chief from the valley would listen to no delay and his reply was:

"Where is there a hardware store? I need some more cartridges for my gun."

Some time was spent in getting a fresh supply of amunition. It was decided to start out on foot, and volunteers were asked, but recruits were not to be had in Finleyville.

Predicted Sudden Death.

The people in the little town by this time had mostly sought their beds and looked upon the expedition as extremely foolhardy, predicting that the chief and all his men would be "shot full of holes."

Two lanterns were procured and the posse was about to set out across the country, but the inky blackness of the night and the uneven condition of the ground, indicated that it would be necessary to follow the muddy country roads in order to find the way to the isolated spot where Constantina's cabin is located. The roads were found impassable for pedestrians, and a team was hired. This caused more delay, and it was after 10 o'clock when a barouche crowded with man-hunters, started out from Finleyville. The driver was not sure of the road, and it was close to midnight when the little cluster of houses was reached at the head of a deep gulch, where Rocky Hole mine is situated.

When this telegram was filed Logan and his men were preparing to surround the settlement and capture the prisoner by surprise. Every effort was taken to prevent the giving of an alarm which would permit a chance for escape.

Has a List of Suspects.

Before starting on the expedition Logan prepared a list of the names of foreigners whom he believes to be implicated in the work of the "Black Hand" and had knowledge of the threatening letter which was sent to Mrs. Victor Pezzoni, who owns a large retail establishment in Monongahela. Mrs. Pezzoni is reputed to be wealthy and was asked to deposit $1,000 near an abandoned coal mine near

NAVAL ACADEMY STUDENTS RESIGN TO ESCAPE TRIAL

Midshipmen Fear Court-Martial and Are Leaving School—Others Afraid of the Hazing Which It Is Claimed Continues.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Resignations from both the top and bottom classes in the naval academy are giving alarm in the navy department, for they are taken to mean a very decided decrease in the number of available officers for the service for the coming year and for many other years. According to the view here the resignations of the upper classmen are usually upon the ground, real or expressed, that they who resign fear trial and consequent dismissal for hazing, while the resignations from the lower classes is because the boy resigning has been hazed to the limit and, regardless of his ambition to serve his country, prefers to resign rather than undergo any further humiliation.

Recent trials at the academy seem to have thoroughly established the fact that it is a principle at the academy that a boy must either submit to hazing or fight, and although Secretary Bonaparte has declared himself opposed to this practice, naval officers here believe that the practice of standing under classmen upon their heads and putting them through severe physical exercises continues at the academy.

Today the resignation was received at the navy department of Midshipman Overdown Whitmeier of Florida, and accepted. Upper classmen obliged him to get under the table and eat out of a dish on the floor while he was on his hands and knees, like a goat, and at the same time at significant prods from upper classmen he was expected to bleat.

Four cases are now before Secretary Bonaparte for final action. Naval officers who have sons or relatives at the academy say if the present program is adhered to there will not remain a single member of the graduating class.

Grant Concessions to the Jews.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 24.—Further concessions it was announced today have been granted to the Jews in the governments of Russia, where they enjoy the right of domicile, by the addition of one hundred and thirty-three places in the country districts where they will be permitted to reside without hindrance.

Monongahela. The letter is unmistakably the work of an educated Italian and the style of the stationery used has furnished a clue which is being closely followed by Detective William J. Tanney and his officers, who have been privately engaged by Mrs. Pezzoni to discover the guilty parties.

Spada, who was arrested late last night by Chief Logan on a warrant, spent the day in his cell in the Monongahela lockup protesting his innocence of any connection with anarchists or the "Blank Hand" fraternity. At first he pleaded ignorance of English, but soon began talking very fluently. He has been in the United States 16 years and is a naturalized citizen. Before coming here he was employed in French Guiana and in South Australia as a vintner.

Spada Makes an Explanation.

The Gazette correspondent asked Spada how he happened to have Bresci's picture on the wall of his home, and how so much anarchistic literature was found there by the officers.

"I had a friend, Louis, who boarded with me," replied Spada. "I never knew his other name. He had this stuff and one day he was killed on the railroad. I opened his trunk and used the picture to cover a bare place on the wall. I didn't know that it was a crime to read those books.

"The books and papers were printed mostly by Luigi Mongini in Rome. In my travels I have seen so many books like them circulated among the Italian people that I thought them inoffensive."

"How about the letters?"

"Some of the letters were addressed to my friend Louis. They came from his sweetheart in Italy."

"How, then, did you not know his last name?" persisted the reporter.

From this point Spada began losing his comprehension of English and feigned giving few more replies. As a matter of fact, however, many of the letters found in the collection are merely friendly notes, and it will require an expert linguist to make a readable translation.

Tomorrow's developments are eagerly anticipated. Chief Logan declares he will not cease his crusade until he shall have served over 100 warrants, or else driven every suspect out of the valley. If he makes a small percentage of arrests another dilemma will face the authorities of Monongahela. The town lockup contains only three cells, and these will not accommodate more than four prisoners each. While the chief of police is busy with his plans for the rounding up of his suspects, City Clerk Ross is devising means for the housing of the prisoners.

Coroner Sipe returned to the county seat today to hold a consultation with District Attorney Underwood and County Detective McCleary regarding the disposition of those who may be arrested. All will be held for a preliminary hearing before Burgess Billick.

Why Murder Charge Is Made.

The murder charge which is placed against the suspects in addition to nearly all the other crimes on the calendar arises from the belief that the "Black Hand" membership had something to do with the killing of Carrazzola, an Italian miner at Dunlevy, several months ago. The letter which was addressed to Mrs. Pezzoni, reminded her in plain terms of Carrazzola's fate and threatened her with an untimely end if she failed to forfeit $1,000 to the society's emissaries.

Chief Logan and his posse are not expected to return to Monongahela until daylight. If he fails to catch Constantina, he will take up the warrants against the alleged members of the band in other localities in the valley. Rocky Hole mine is near the Allegheny county line, at a point isolated from telephone and telegraphic communication.

Judge Was Threatened.

One startling disclosure of the day was the discovery that Judge J. F. Taylor of the Washington county court had been threatened by the "Black Hand." During the campaign preceding the November election, when Judge Taylor was a candidate for re-election, he received two letters warning him that the society was working against him and that he was in danger. It developed that the decree ordering his death was never issued, as influential Italians persuaded the organization that an attempt on his life would only balk the more important conspiracy involving the assassination of more prominent men.

Several weeks ago Stephen Corusco, aged 32, was mysteriously shot near Believernon, Fayette county. It has developed that his father, Michael Corusco, had received a letter, signed by the "Black Hand," demanding $2,700. The penalty for refusal was the death of his son. Corusco was unable to comply with the demand and a few days later his son was killed.

The death of John Lie, said to be a former president of the organization, is attributed by the authorities to the anarchist gang. Lie is said to have withdrawn from the society and quarreled with the leaders. His mangled body was found along the tracks of the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad about two weeks ago. An investigation revealed the fact that he was shot twice and then his body placed on the track.

Honeycombed With Anarchy.

Assistant District Attorney C. L. V. Acheson, who has taken personal charge of the trailing of the leaders of the gang, has secured evidence that the anarchistic society has practically honeycombed the county.

PATERSON, N. J., Jan. 24.—The police today conducted a search for accomplices in the plot to assassinate Gov. Pennypacker of Pennsylvania, Gov. Pattison of Ohio, and other leading men, which was unearthed near Monongahela, Pa., yesterday. Information has been sent here that letters which were found at Baird, Pa., yesterday named among other intended victims, both of these governors, and bore the Paterson, N. J., postmark.

Some of these letters were apparently sent from an organization known as Liberia Sociologia, at 495 Madison avenue, this city. The house at this number on Madison avenue is the only one in the block. The only occupants the police found in it today were two Italian silkweavers and their families. Both these men told the police they had no knowledge of a society called Liberta Sociologia, or of the letters said to have been found at Baird, Pa.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Lulu Glaser in "Miss Dolly Dollars," 8:15 p. m.

BELASCO—"Mrs. Temple's Telegram," 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—Eugenie Blair as Nancy Sykes in "Oliver Twist," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"More to Be Pitied Than Scorned," 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

ALVIN—"Isle of Spice," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

GAYETY—"Wine, Women and Song," burlesque company, 2 and 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—"Washington Society Girls" burlesque and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating with music, afternoon and evening.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Second annual American Photographic Salon under auspices of Pittsburgh Academy of Science and Art, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Pittsburgh orchestra "Pop" concert; Emil Paur, conductor; Christine Miller, contralto soloist; Wenzel Jiskra, double bass soloist, 8:15 p. m.

ALLEGHENY CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Free organ recital, Caspar P. Koch, city organist, 8 p. m.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, January 24.

New York—Celtic from Liverpool; Slavonia from Trieste, etc.; Princess Irene from Genoa and Naples; Zeeland from Dover; Moltke from Hamburg; Rotterdam from Rotterdam; Bulgaria from Hamburg.

London—Minnehaha from New York.

Antwerp—Vaderland from New York via Dover.

Naples—Calabria from New York.

Auckland—Venturia from San Francisco via Honolulu and Pago Pago for Sidney, N. S. W.

Yokohama—Pulham from Seattle and Tacoma; Kamakawa Maru from Seattle.

Gibraltar—Cleopolis from Boston via Ponta Delgada for Genoa, Naples and Alexandria.

Bremen—Brandenburg from New York.

Alexandria—Celtic from New York via Azores, Genoa and Naples.

Sailed, January 24.

New York—Maine for London; Majestic for Liverpool.

Queenstown—Saxonia (from Liverpool) for Boston.

Southampton—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse (from Bremen) for New York via Cherbourg.

Liverpool—Teutonic for New York via Queenstown.

Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse (from Bremen and Southampton) for New York.

Passed, January 24.

Sable Island—Deutschland (from Hamburg, Dover and Cherbourg) for New York.

Lizard—Pennsylvania (from New York) for Dover and Hamburg; Columbia (from Boston) for London; La Savoie (from New York) for Havre.

FIELD DISPOSES OF $25,000,000

This Amount in Bequests Not Affecting His Store and Providing Residuary Fund.

EIGHT MILLIONS FOR MUSEUM

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—By the will of Marshall Field, filed today in the probate court, the city of Chicago is made beneficiary of $8,000,000 to be used for the endowment and maintenance of the Field Columbian museum in Jackson park. This bequest is made upon the condition that within six years there shall be provided, without cost to it, a satisfactory site, under penalty of reversion.

Various bequests aggregating $17,568,000 are made to relatives and friends. With these exceptions the entire estate is to be kept intact until one of the two sons of Marshall Field, Jr., grandsons of the testator, shall reach the age of 50 years. The grandsons are now 8 and 12. Marshall Field, Jr., a son, died November 27, 1905, of a bullet wound accidentally inflicted while handling a revolver.

The executors are the Merchants Loan and Trust Company, a bank in which Mr. Field held a great amount of stock; Chauncey Keep, an old friend, and Arthur B. Jones, for many years Mr. Field's secretary. Others are made trustees of various smaller funds.

Continue Business.

The business of Marshall Field & Co. is to be maintained as a portion of the residuary estate.

Because of the failure to file a petition for the appointment of administrators, the total value of the estate was not furnished the court, and the executors are not able at this time to estimate the value with accuracy.

It will probably be several weeks before the probate court is officially informed of the value of the estate.

The will covers 32 typewritten pages, making with two codicils, 12,000 words. As an instance of the care with which the will is drawn, it provides that the residuary estate, which is to go to the grandsons of Mr. Field, is covered in all details of management and disposition down to the prospective children of the two boys. The bequests are:

Trust fund for Mrs. David Beatty of England, daughter of Mr. Field, $1,000,000; second trust for Mrs. Beatty and her appointees, $3,000,000; third trust for Mrs. Beatty and her appointees, $2,000,000.

To Mrs. Marshall Field, widow, in addition to the provision in a marriage settlement dated September 5, 1905, $1,000,000, together with the Field family home at 1905 Prairie avenue, Chicago, with all its furnishings and equipment of every kind for and during her life.

Relatives Provided For.

Trust for Mrs. Laura F. Dibblee, Mr. Field's sister, and her two daughters, $500,000; Mrs. Dibblee, $250,000; Bertha Dibblee, a niece, $100,000; Frances Dibblee, a niece, $100,000.

Trust for Mrs. Helen F. James, a sister, and her three children, $500,000; Howard James, a nephew, $250,000; Phillip James, a nephew, $250,000; Dwight James, a nephew, $50,000.

Trust for Nora Scott, sister of Mr. Field's first wife, $200,000; to Nora Scott, absolutely, $200,000.

Trust for Marshall Field, Jr., and descendants, $5,000,000.

To Mrs. Marshall Field, Jr., absolutely, and to the Northern Trust Company in trust for her, a sum sufficient to make with what she will receive from her husband's estate an aggregate of $1,000,000.

Trust for Gwendolyn Field, a granddaughter, $1,000,000; Grace J. Gillette, a niece, $100,000; number of nephews and nieces, $10,000 each; other relatives from $10,000 to $25,000.

Frederick Skiff, director of Field museum, $50,000.

Arthur B. Jones, his secretary, $100,000.

To employes of Marshall Field & Co., sums ranging from $5,000 to $50,000.

The will directs that the estate shall be administered and applied by the trustees so the grandson, Marshall Field III, and his descendants, shall receive a three-fifths portion and the grandson, Henry, and his descendants, a two-fifths portion. When Marshall Field III becomes 25 years old he receives absolutely $450,000, and a like sum at 30, 35 and 40 years. The grandson Henry, at 25 years, receives $800,000, and a like sum at 30, 35 and 40 years.

The total net income accruing to each grandson shall be held and invested by the trustees for accumulation, to be delivered to each at certain designated periods, the remaining portions to be turned over to the grandsons when Marshall Field III becomes 50 years old. In case of the death of either before the final distribution the trustees hold his share until the youngest surviving child of the deceased grandson becomes 21.

If either dies before the distribution of the trust estate without heirs his share is to go absolutely to the other grandson. If both die before the final division of the estate, leaving no issue, the entire trust estate is to go to any other surviving children of Marshall Field, Jr.

In this instance the only surviving child would be Gwendolyn Field, only sister of the two grandsons.

HELPLESS DOOMED TO DIE

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members of which are still at Cape Beale.

Lineman Logan, Lightkeeper Daykin, of Carmanah, and J. Martin, all went to the wreck by land this morning at 4 o'clock, taking ropes and being prepared to render whatever assistance possible.

Three men also left Bamfield this morning on the train.

Practical confirmation has been received that all on board the Valencia have been lost with the exception of the 15 men who reached Cape Beale.

The persons saved are:

F. F. Junker, formerly assistant superintendent of school at Santa Rosa, Cal., who lost his wife and two daughters; J. Richley, fireman; Carl Sammel, passenger; Mike Hone, R. Brown, A. Mosoda, Oakland; T. J. McCarthy, boatswain; Thomas Shields, C. Campbell, who lost his wife and daughter; B. N. Ledhos, fireman; Albert Wells, United States navy; John Mark, W. Goslin, T. Lampson and C. Brown, boy, San Francisco.

LIFE LOSES ITS CHARMS.

Man Tries to Kill Sweetheart and Then Attempts to Commit Suicide Three Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—After having attempted to shoot and kill Mrs. Christopher Markinoff and her 17-year-old daughter Lena, at their home, 115 Poplar street, this evening, Ferdinand Schelch thrice attempted to commit suicide, but each time was rescued from his perilous position.

Schelch was in love with Lena and after shooting Rosan from the house and threw himself beneath the wheels of a trolley car and was dragged six feet. He was pulled out unhurt. Next he jumped into the Delaware river and after being pulled out jumped in the second time. He was again pulled out and arrested.

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Suckers—East and West.

Everyone west of the Alleghenies has often been exasperated by people from "little old New York" who contend that all the fools and easy marks live outside the metropolis.

Richard H. Little, one of the famous war correspondents, has an article in this week's Pittsburgh Index which more than answers all arguments along this line.

Mr. Little is one of the wittiest, brightest writers of the day, and his article cannot be read without causing many a smile.

No one in Pittsburgh should miss this specially interesting feature of Pittsburgh's great illustrated weekly, which will be on sale at all news stands and by newsboys Thursday morning.

In addition to this feature there are several other special articles and a good short story, which makes the publication worth many times the price of five cents.

DUQUESNE GREYS DINE AND INSTALL OFFICERS

Notable Guests Are Present at Eleventh Annual Banquet of the Famous Corps.

The eleventh annual dinner and installation of officers of the veteran corps of the Duquesne Greys was held last night at the Monongahela house. It marked also the first of a series of observances in celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the organization of the regiment. In the course of the after-dinner speeches Col. F. K. Rutledge of the Eighteenth regiment stated he had received an offer for the Craft avenue property, on which the regiment holds an option, which, if accepted, would net the regiment nearly $75,000.

At the conclusion of the dinner G. Walter Guthrie presided as toastmaster and speeches were made by Brig. Gen. John A. Wiley of Franklin; Col. J. C. Kay, Capt. A. W. Brewster of the Ninth United States infantry, commandant of the Allegheny arsenal; Col. Louis E. Brown and Col. F. K. Rutledge. All of the speakers extolled the famous men who in past times had belonged to the Greys, and most of them spoke with regret of the recent fire at Old City hall. Capt. Brewster gave an account of his experiences in China during the Boxer outbreak.

Owing to the illness of one of the recently elected officers, Commander John Cowley, and illness in the family of Senior Vice Commander H. F. Davis, they were unable to be present, and Junior Vice Commander Charles Matthews was the only one installed. Adjutant W. E. Watson announced the following appointments made by Commander Cowley: W. C. Connelly, Jr., quartermaster; Harris Crawford, commissary; Edward L. Kearns, judge advocate; Thomas L. Hazzard, surgeon; William A. Dickey, sergeant major; H. M. Breckenridge and William Ihrig, color sergeants; E. A. Homberger, quartermaster sergeant, and James W. Blakeny, commissary sergeant. The committee to arrange for the Memorial day observance includes Harris Crawford, chairman; William A. Magee, J. J. Wilson, Edward Havekotte, H. E. Stewart, William H. Davis, W. E. Watson and B. L. Succop.

It was announced in this connection that the committee has chosen a design for markers for the graves of the deceased members. Last year the committee located and marked the graves of 168 of the comrades. Adjt. Watson read regrets from Maj. W. L. Seibert, United States corps of engineers; Maj. J. C. Ord, who is in charge of the local recruiting station; W. C. Winebiddle, a veteran of the Mexican war, who is perhaps the oldest living member of the Greys; Adjt. Gen. Thomas J. Stewart, and others.

The dinner was preceded by a brief reception, during which J. K. Heflick the old fifer of th eregiment, and William H. McCloskey, "the drummer boy of Winchester," played a number of the old marching tunes.

DIE 15 MINUTES APART.

Uncle and Nephew Pass Away Last Night Almost Simultaneously in Braddock.

Within 15 minutes of each other, Randolph E. Speer and his uncle, Calvin Fritzius of Braddock, died last night. Mr. Speer was born in Elizabeth 39 years ago and was a son of the late deputy sheriff, William H. Speer. About eight years ago Mr. Speer was connected with the Homestead steel works, later becoming a bookkeeper in the First National bank of Braddock. He was a member of the Parker Avenue United Presbyterian church. He is survived by his mother and a sister, Mrs. Bessie F. Hall of Braddock, and a brother, Josiah Speer, of Pomeroy, O. He was a member of the Heptasophs of Braddock. His widow and two children survive him.

Mr. Fritzius died 16 minutes before his nephew, at his home in Thirteenth street, Braddock. He was 61 years old and was born in Port Perry, his family having settled there early in the county's history. Mr. Fritzius was a building contractor. He served three terms as tax collector in Braddock. He then served eight years as constable and later five years in the clerk of courts office in this county. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church of Braddock. One son and three daughters survive—Robert, Mrs. Harry McKinney, Mrs. Charles F. McMinn and Miss Mary Fritzius.

BATTLE IN CHINATOWN.

Several Killed and Another Injured in Feud Between Societies Celebrating New Year's.

NEW YORK, Jan 24.—A score of Chinamen engaged in a revolver battle in the streets of Chinatown today, causing the death of two Chinamen, Ching Yeng and Lee Soon, the mortal wounding of a third and the serious injury of a fourth. The battle was between members of the two rival Chinese societies, the Hip Sings and the On Leongs.

Chinatown was full of visitors witnessing the celebration of the Chinese new year. The fight began in Pell street under cover of the racket of firecrackers set off intentionally by members of the rival societies. Many spectators were in danger. Chinese non-combatants and some spectators lay flat on the pavement to escape the bullets. When the battle ended four Chinamen lay dead or unconscious in the street, eight revolvers were scattered about and seven Chinamen were prisoners. Last summer these two societies fought with revolvers in the Chinese theater.

CATCHINGS IS PROMINENT.

Man Who Annoyed the President Is Well-Known Southern Attorney and Society Man.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., Jan. 24.—Benjamin S. Catchings, who was arrested in Philadelphia, charged with sending anonymous letters to the President and government officials, is one of the best known young attorneys in Birmingham. He is a son of W. B. Catchings, a real estate broker; is a graduate of the University of Alabama, a member of the Phi Delta Theta college fraternity, and has held official position in the Alabama National Guard. He has been prominent in the social life of the city.

He has been given in charge of friends of his family and is now in a private sanitarium. It is believed his mental breakdown is temporary and he will recover soon.

HADLEY IN CLEVELAND.

Attorney General of Missouri Will Begin Examination of Independent Oil Men.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 24.—Attorney General R. S. Hadley of Missouri arrived in Cleveland this afternoon and tomorrow morning will begin taking the depositions of several Cleveland independent oil men for use in the action brought against the Standard Oil Company by the state of Missouri. Hadley himself will conduct the examination of the witnesses. Subpoenas had been issued for 12 persons, but service was secured on only nine of them.

Hadley said tonight: "I do not expect the hearing in this city will develop anything very sensational, unless a new line of inquiry is opened up. I think the testimony will be largely corroborative of that taken in New York, and will relate largely to the affairs of the Republic Oil Company, which has been shown to be a Standard Oil concern."

Baltimore Capitalist Dies.

BALTIMORE, MD., Jan. 24.—Bernard Cahn, a well known retired capitalist, actively interested until recently in the Consolidated Gas Company, Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company and the United Street Railways Company, died today from a complication of diseases, aged 71.

Shoots Wife and Kills Himself.

MARTINSBURG, W. VA., Jan. 24.—In a fit of jealousy Charles P. Hess shot and probably fatally wounded his wife, fired at their two children, aged two and six years, and then committed suicide. Mrs. Hess is not expected to live through the night.

TWO NEW PARTIES NAME JENKINSON

"No Water Meter" and "City" Political Bodies Make Choice and Adopt Platforms.

OPPOSITION CAMP'S TROUBLE

Alexander M. Jenkinson was indorsed for mayor yesterday by two new political organizations, the City party and the No Water Meter party. The City party met at 194 Wylie avenue, those present representing 11 wards; the No Water Meter party met in Little's hall.

The officers of the City party are Thomas D. Malone, chairman, and Edward Dillon, secretary. A platform was adopted denouncing the action of George W. Guthrie in "compromising with the unholy alliance of bossism and mal-administration" and saying the following about Mr. Jenkinson:

Resolved, That prompted by the desire that Pittsburgh go Republican and honest in the ensuing election and believing that the Republican candidate for mayor, Alexander M. Jenkinson, is best equipped to administer the governmental affairs of the city along the lines of rugged honesty and fair business principles we hereby heartily and unqualifiedly indorse his candidacy for mayor.

The No Water Meter party adopted a platform declaring against the enforced use of water meters in dwelling houses as a menace to the public health. It indorsed Mr. Jenkinson's candidacy. This party was organized only on Tuesday, but already Chairman John O'Hanlon says, hundreds of people have signified their intention to work with the party and to vote for Mr. Jenkinson. The party was organized on Tuesday in Little's hall in Wylie avenue. The officers, besides Mr. O'Hanlon, are Louis Wechsler, secretary, and Martin Burke, treasurer. The party will secure headquarters and will conduct a vigorous campaign.

Mr. Jenkinson is already at work on his campaign. He is making personal tours of the mills and workshops, and everywhere is meeting with cordial receptions from the workingmen, who have read his platform and who, finding in him a man nominated at a fair and open primary election, at which more than 33,000 votes were cast, a candidate preferable to one chosen by those hidden political parties, like the Citizens and Democratic organizations, and small coteries of the dissatisfied of several parties, many have declared they will vote for him.

Jenkinson Greeted Cordially.

While the Republicans are enthusiastic and the party is united, the elements supporting George W. Guthrie are at loggerheads. In some wards the Civic party is combining with the Citizens on the councilmanic ticket, in other wards with the Democrats, and in nearly every case that party's candidates are on tickets containing the names of the present members of councils who have been slavish followers of Director Bigelow in every bad measure he forced through council and his efficient aids in throttling every good measure. In a very few wards conscientious members of the Civic party who have opposed the designs of those who seek to perpetuate the boss' control of councils, have allied themselves with the Republicans.

There are cases where the Bigelow candidates, unable to make a deal with Democrats or Republicans, got up a ticket of their own. Thus in the Twentieth ward Councilmen Helmold, Roenigk and Hammer are on the Citizens ticket for re-election. The Democrats have nominated George H. Stengel, C. W. Houston and Helmold, but that ticket will probably not stand, as Stengel and Houston, Civics, are said to oppose Helmold, because he is a Bigelow man.

Civic Party May Bolt.

In the Twenty-first ward the Citizens and Democrats have combined in nominating John Taylor and Robert Porter, Bigelow councilmen. The Civic party fused with the Republicans in that ward, but the Civics are now talking of not abiding by their agreement and of nominating an entirely independent ticket. J. K. Wynard, the Civic party's leader in the ward, declared yesterday. Wynard is now for Dr. George W. McNeil for select council.

George W. Guthrie was yesterday notified by the Civic party that it had indorsed his nomination for mayor. Mr. Guthrie went to the Sixth avenue headquarters of the party at 1 p. m. and in an upstairs room he was surrounded and told the good news. W. K. Jennings was the spokesman. The gist of Mr. Jennings' long speech was that the Civics wanted good government; the Republicans wouldn't give it to them, and Mr. Guthrie was just the man to furnish it. Mr. Guthrie responded. He repeated his well-known sayings that municipal government has nothing to do with national or state politics; promised to be a faithful servant of the people, if elected; said he would oppose the giving of one dollar of the citizen's money except for the return of a dollar in value to the city and that the franchises and rights of the city would be preserved, if within his power, for the future generations of the city.

The Civics gave out their platform yesterday. It is frank enough to denounce the efforts of its allies, the Citizens and Democrats, to send back to the city councils men who have shown themselves unfit for the office, opposes the granting of franchises in perpetuity and assures the people that Mr. Guthrie, if elected, will appoint men of character and sound judgment as police magistrates.

More Party Patents Filed.

A patent was filed by the "No Watermeter" party for the Seventh ward, by S. H. Alpern, Joseph Caplan, Louis Caplan, G. Sorofino and L. Delimogers. A Good Government patent for the Eighth ward, Allegheny, was filed by James L. Kelly, Henry Huser, Joseph Richardson, Jr., C. Richardson and Henry Helche.

MILLIONS IN READING.

H. C. Frick Credited With Cleaning Up Big Sum in the Common Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Friends of H. C. Frick are congratulating him upon his stock market successes, particularly his operations in Reading common. It is said Mr. Frick has sold out practically all his speculative commitment in Reading common at a profit of at least $7,000,000. Intimate associates of Mr. Frick estimated today he had made even more than that amount.

Many well informed people in the financial district accepted the story as true, for it is generally known that Mr. Frick had been a great believer in the future of Reading.

GEN. WHEELER NEAR END.

Death of Aged Veteran Is Expected at Any Time—Is Surrounded by His Children.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Gen. Joseph Wheeler, who is ill with pneumonia at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sterling Smith, of No. 173 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, was in such a critical condition at midnight that the members of his family had almost abandoned hope and his death was expected at any moment.

Conscious and with his mind apparently active, the general seemed to know death was approaching, and, too weak to speak, he tried to nod encouragement to his children. Dr. McCorkle and Dr. Janeway were in constant attendance, but they could offer no hope to the family.

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"TAINTED" MONEY CRY IN BEEF PACKERS' CASE

Counsel Starts More Trouble. Conference of Attorneys to Agree on Facts.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—District Attorney Morrison continued his statement to the jury in the packers' case today. The substance of Mr. Morrison's statement today was that the packers are not entitled to immunity, because they did not claim it at the time Commissioner Garfield was conducting his investigation. Just because a man talked to the commissioner of corporations, he declared, does not constitute any claim to immunity.

District Attorney Morrison referred to newspaper criticism of the packers.

"I object, your honor, to this sort of talk," exclaimed Attorney Hynes. "I do not object to argument on the part of the district attorney, although that has no place in a statement to the jury, but this reference to newspaper criticism is an attempt to poison the channels of justice."

"I sympathize with the counsel for the defense," said Judge Humphrey, "to be compelled to listen to the prods of counsel for the government. You have all argued in this matter. Proceed with the statement."

District Attorney Morrison declared he wished the jury to disregard the fact that many of the defendants are men of wealth and position.

"We are not prosecuting these men because they are rich," he said. "The government admires a rich man who has profited honestly. A man like Marshall Field, who was buried while attorneys for the defense were telling of the honest money made by these packers, commands the admiration of the nation. It is the man with 'tainted money' that the government is after."

The suggestion was made to District Attorney Morrison by Attorney John S. Miller, for the packers, that it might be possible for both sides to reach an agreement regarding the facts in the case and then submit the case to the court for decision, eliminating the jury. The attorneys entered into a conference upon the facts. The jury was excused until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

FAVORABLE REPORT MADE UPON ISLE OF PINES TREATY

Committee on Foreign Relations Finishes Its Consideration of the Bill Pending in the Senate.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The senate committee on foreign relations today reported favorably to the senate the treaty by which it is proposed to cede the Isle of Pines to Cuba. Senator Morgan and other members of the committee who are opposed to the ratification of the treaty were absent today when action was taken.

It begins to look as though the efforts of Col. T. J. Keenan of Pittsburgh and others who have been trying to prevent the ratification of the treaty will come to naught. Senator Penrose was largely instrumental in holding it up at the last session, but the administration is now pressing the senate to ratify it and the leaders appear determined to put it through.

L. W. STRAYER.

HONOR BURNS' MEMORY.

Loyal Scots of Allegheny Gather in Numbers to Celebrate Poet's 147th Birthday.

Several thousand loyal Scotchmen gathered in Allegheny Carnegie Music hall last night to do honor to the memory of Robert Burns. It was the one hundred and forty-seventh anniversary of Burns' birth. Chief James MacKay of Clan MacPherson No. 59, presided at the meeting, and Pipe Major Donald MacKay was there with his famous bagpipe and gave several selections. The Misses Brown contributed several Highland flings in costume, and did a sword dance. Those who contributed vocal solos were: Miss Jennie Weir, Mathew Shields, Miss Maggie White, John Roberts and Miss Mary Carmichael. Piper MacKay gave the "Gathering of the Clans" and brought to the stage a company of kilted clansmen who gave the stage a picturesque appearance.

From Carnegie hall the audience went to the Waldorf hall, in Sandsky street, and danced for several hours, the music being furnished by the Imperial orchestra. The committee in charge of the amusements were: James Black, James King, James Stark, Stewart Will, Richard Dines, Matthew Collins and William Sutherland.

INDICT BRICK MAKERS.

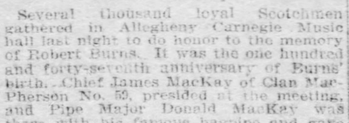
Four Akron Companies Are Charged With Combining to Prevent Competition.

AKRON, O., Jan. 24.—Indictments were returned by the grand jury late today against the officers of four local brick companies for being in a combination which stifled competition and made possible exorbitant prices for building and paving brick. The jury found that unreasonable prices had been paid, especially by the city of Akron for paving brick.

The men indicted are: John and William Windsor of the Windsor Brick Company; F. W. and W. F. Keller of the Keller Brick Company of Cuyahoga Falls; William and Samuel Cooper of the Cooper Brick Company, and Alfred Akers, president of the Akron Vitrified Tile and Brick Company. In its report the jury says that it found that the companies had a single selling agent, John Windsor. Paving advanced from $15 to $20 a thousand since the trust was formed three years ago, the jury reported.

Sixteen Miners Are Entombed.

POTEAU, I. T., Jan. 24.—News has been received of an explosion in a mine at Witteville, and it said that 16 miners are entombed.



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INSURRECTION AT AN END

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go along with the insurgents but he did not. Mr. Graham of Allegheny, who was prevented by illness from being present, was paired with Mr. Van Duser of Nevada.

Cotton for the "Injured."

After the vote had been announced Mr. Mann of Illinois feelingly presented Mr. Babcock of Wisconsin and Mr. Mondell of Wyoming, the leaders of the insurrection, each with a little package of absorbent cotton and bandages labeled, "First aid to the injured." It was shown by an analysis of the vote that had all the Democrats been present and not paired the insurgents still would have lacked two or three votes of enough to defeat the rule.

Opposition to the rule was made by Mr. Adams (Wis.), one of the Republican insurgents. Appealing for the rights of the people of the state of New York Mr. Payne (N. Y.), who followed, protested against the equal representation in the senate from the territories. Should the "Providence of God," he said, inflict the country with Democratic rule we should have such legislation.

J. Adam Bede (Minn.), who followed, began: "If we have Democratic rule it won't be the providence of God; it will be the mistake of Republican leaders." (Laughter.)

"Why," he continued, after order had been secured, "he (Payne) speaks about the New York senators—most people are trying to forget them." It was several minutes after this statement before the vigorous efforts of Speaker Cannon availed against the shouts, laughter and applause.

He was tired, he said, of the treatment accorded the west. It reminded him of the daughter of an old Kentucky colonel who said she was twenty-seven years old before she knew that "d—Yankee" was not one word. "It was usual," he said, "when they want to whip us into line to use the name of 'The great President,' but when the President is opposing something the east wants he is 'the broncho statesman.'

"Why," continued Mr. Bede, "you say they have not got enough 'folks.' Who ever heard of a senator representing 'folks'?" (Laughter.)

Reverting to the early days in New England, Mr. Bede convulsed the house again by declaring that the Pilgrim Fathers would not have landed there had they not been seasick.

Mr. Tawney, Mr. Jones (Wash.), Mr. Smith (Ariz.), Mr. DeArmond (Mo.), Mr. Kahn (Cal.) and Mr. Babcock (Wis.), leaders of the insurgents, also spoke. The debate was closed by Mr. Dalzell, who spoke in favor of the rule.

Committee Favors Payne Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The house committee on ways and means today, decided to make a favorable report on a bill by Representative Payne, chairman of the committee, providing for the reclassification of many American products for admission to the Philippines in such a manner that the United States will enjoy more favorable tariff rates.

Declare Usual Dividend.

The usual dividend of $4 a share was declared yesterday at the annual meeting of the Central Accident Insurance Company, held at the offices of the company in the Park building. The old board of directors was re-elected, as were the following officers: President, H. J. Heinz; vice president, William H. Graham; treasurer, George W. Eisenbeis; secretary, Ralph Butler.

Order Ammunition for Arsenal.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—A dispatch from Lorient says orders have been given to the arsenal there to dispatch large quantities of ammunition to Fort DeFrance, Island of Martinique, for the Atlantic division of the French fleet now cruising in Venezuelan waters.

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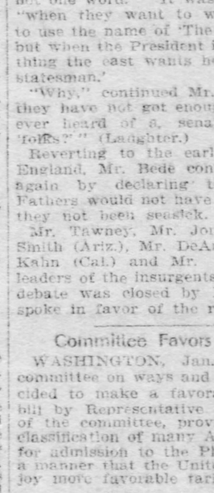

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SOURCES OF NEWS

Harry Lehr Won Some Immunity by Paying for Book and Not Appearing.

WRITER OF "SUICIDE" STORY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The defense in the trial of Norman Hapgood, editor of Collier's Weekly, charged with criminal libel in publishing a paragraph relating to the connection of City Magistrate Joseph M. Deuel with Town Topics, continued today, they introducing testimony as to the methods employed by Town Topics in securing its news matter and gossip, along with the experience of several men of prominence in dealing with publications concerning them.

Charles S. Wayne, formerly managing editor of Town Topics, was again a witness. He said that Recorder Goff and Justice Van Brunt of the appellate division of the supreme court had been criticized in Town Topics while Justice Deuel was connected with the publication.

"Who wrote the articles that caused 'Billy' Travers to commit suicide?" asked District Attorney Jerome, for the prosecution.

"Rowe, the newspaper correspondent," the witness replied.

Used Private Messages.

Robert R. Rowe, who gave his occupation as Newport correspondent of Town Topics, said he had been a telegraph operator at Newport and admitted he had given the information secured by means of his connection with the telegraph company to Town Topics. He said also he had disguised himself as a violin player in order to get into the duchess of Marlborough ball at Newport to report it for Town Topics.

Other witnesses today were Bernard N. Baker of Baltimore, former president of the Atlantic Transport Company, who declared that annoying articles concerning him did not appear in Town Topics during the time his company advertised in the publication. Edwin M. Post, a stock broker whose testimony was stricken out by the court because it did not refer specifically to the case on trial, Harry Lehr, who denied he had ever given news to Town Topics or its correspondents, and George Creighton Webb.

Friends and Enemies.

Mr. Shepard showed Mr. Baker two copies of Town Topics of December 16, 1898, called his attention to the item under the head of "Saunterings," and asked if they referred to Mr. Baker's family. Mr. Baker said they did. Mr. Shepard then read them to the jury. They referred to the "blossoming forth" of Mr. Baker's family into Baltimore society. Mr. Baker then visited Col. Mann. Mr. Baker said:

I saw Col. Mann. He talked over these objectionable articles appearing in Town Topics and I said I wanted them stopped. He told me that it was only the best people who were mentioned in Town Topics. He said that other steamship lines had advertisements in Town Topics and that my company ought to secure one. He said that all steamship men were after something and that I might want something which Town Topics could help me to get. He said there ought to be reciprocity. I told him that if he wanted our advertisement he ought to say so. He said Town Topics had friends as well as enemies.

He then authorized the insertion of the advertisement. The witness identified it in an issue.

Did those articles referring to you and your family cease after the insertion of the advertisement?

I think so.

The witness said the advertisement continued in Town Topics about a year.

Refused Mann's Offer.

Mr. Baker refused to subscribe to Fads and Fancies. In May, 1902, Mr. Baker said, he had a third interview with Col. Mann.

"He wanted to borrow money," said the witness. "He wanted me to take five shares of Town Topics stock for $5,000. I said I was not interested in Town Topics or its stock."

Mr. Baker refused to take the stock. Col. Mann, he said, promised to see him again, and although the witness told him it was no use, Col. Mann went to see Mr. Baker in Baltimore, said he was sorry, and that the friendship of Town Topics was worth having and urged him to reconsider. Mr. Baker did not subscribe to Fads and Fancies.

Edwin M. Post, a stock broker, who preferred charges of blackmail against Charles Ahle, a solicitor for American Smart Set, testified that Ahle came to his office with a letter from Mr. Wayne of Town Topics on June 20, 1905.

He said that stories had been printed about my connection with the races. I told him I was sorry and that I hoped it would not occur again. "We have an article in Town Topics about you," he said, "and the boys want to put it in." At this I became suspicious and asked him how much the book cost. He said $500. I said it was a pretty good price and asked how much the book really cost. He replied $60. I asked who got the difference and he replied that the boys got a part and that the rest went higher up.

Dead to Rights.

I told Ahle that I was sorry that I did not have the money there and that I hoped there was no hurry about it. He said they were anxious at Town Topics to use the story about me and that I could not afford to have it printed. I told him I expected to get the money the next week. Two or three days later he came to me. He was short and abrupt and said he had not yet got from me the $500. He added that they had me dead to rights and that I had better settle up quickly. The next day I presented the case to the assistant district attorney.

District Attorney Jerome opposed further testimony from Mr. Post, making the following statement:

My theory of the Society Editors' association is that it was composed of a coterie of blackmailers who carried on their schemes under Col. Mann's nose in the office of Town Topics. I don't think that any logical view will permit of either Col. Mann or Justice Deuel being responsible for what Ahle said to Mr. Post, because the connection is not close enough.

Justice Fitzgerald ruled that Mr. Post's evidence was not admissable and all of it was ordered stricken from the record.

Key for Paragraphs.

Charles S. Wayne, formerly managing editor of Town Topics, identified some anonymous paragraphs in 1902 and 1903 and said they had reference to Dr. Seward Webb, S. J. Berwind and James W. Gerard, Jr., and to the President's daughter. He said there was a key system by which one paragraph referred to another and that it had been in use for three or four years.

These works of Col. Mann were put in proper order by Col. Mann?

Yes.

Among the contributors of club news, he said, was James B. Townsend, a member of the Calumet club and a daily newspaper writer. Mr. Allen had helped to get club and society news, he said. Others who had helped were W. L. Robinson, William Binninger and Mr. Feehheimer.

"Did Mrs. Wade Hampton contribute?"

"Yes, articles about southern people in New York."

O'Neil Sevier, Belmont Purdy, Harry C. Smith, Mrs. H. L. Robbins, Edward Zeigler, Acton Davies, James Huneker, and Oscar Cotton were writers for Town Topics. He also gave the names of a number of out-of-town correspondents.

How about Harry Lehr?

He never wrote anything for the paper, but contributed information.

How do you know that?

Rowe told me that Lehr gave him social information and Col. Mann stated yesterday that Lehr promised him information.

Wayne said that Burton Harrison wrote an article for the Christmas number of Town Topics, that Abraham Hummel, the lawyer, contributed social matter; Mrs. Simmons was a contributor; Mrs. Goelet's servants furnished information through Rachel Teehman; Mrs. George Kemp furnished information about herself; the Rev. C. De Lyon Nichols was a Newport contributor of social news about Newport society, and of an anonymous paragraphs under the head of "Saunterings," but the witness said he did not know that the Rev. Mr. Nichols had a parish. He thought Town Topics had contributors at the Knickerbocker, Metropolitan and University clubs, but he did not remember who they were. All the contributors were paid, he said.

Did you ever know that Judge Deuel had anything to do with blackmailing schemes connected with Town Topics?

I did not.

Mr. Wayne said that he did not know whether the "immunes" paid for their immunity from criticism, but that there was plenty of free criticism regardless of any consideration. Before the articles were published, the witness said, he tried to ascertain the facts.

Using Town Topics.

District Attorney Jerome read a letter written by Wayne to Col. Mann in which Wayne complained that one of the women contributors to Town Topics at Saratoga had written of Canfield's as a liberal kindergarten. "I understand," continued Mr. Wayne's letter, "that she is trying to get $1,000 from Canfield to get her diamonds out of pawn. This provocation is too much. She is trying to use Town Topics to advance her aim."

Another Wayne letter dated November 29, 1905, and addressed to "My Dear Grover," was:

The Collier people are trying to win me. The old man has not used me right. If I can keep my head above water I shall not accept blood money.

Wayne said that he kept his head above water and did not accept blood money. By blood money, he said, he meant that he would lose his self-respect if he forsook Col. Mann after having been employed by him.

You suppressed paragraphs prepared for the printer at the office of Town Topics, because the persons referred to were subscribers to Fads and Fancies?

I did.

Wanye identified an article in Town Topics in 1905 as having referred to Harry Lehr. The witness said he composed the article except four lines of it which were dictated by Justice Deuel. The witness said he told Justice Deuel that the publication of the item might prevent a woman's marriage and that he consented on that ground.

Ground of Objection.

A copy of Town Topics in which an item about Recorder Goff was printed was shown the witness who said that Justice Deuel was on the editorial staff of Town Topics at the time it was printed. He said that Justice Deuel never objected to the publication of any article on the ground that it was brutal or indecent, but of legal grounds from fear of libel.

The witness said he did not know who wrote an item in Town Topics criticising Justice Van Brunt of the New York supreme court. He said that Justice Deuel was present when an article was prepared for Town Topics in which was described an imaginary visit by God to Manhattan island, and His discovery that it was a place of lost souls.

Peter Cooper Hewitt said that Irving, the solicitor, tried to induce him to subscribe to a book of biographies, but he refused. The solicitor, he said, told him that Col. Mann would take care of his chosen 100.

Harry S. Lehr was the next witness. It was stated that he testified at his own request. Mr. Lehr said Town Topics had been printing articles about him ever since he came to New York eight years ago. Subsequent to his marriage in 1901 Lehr said he went to Col. Mann at his office and asked him to leave his name out of Town Topics.

Lehr Subscribed.

He promised to do so, saying he had no ill feeling toward me, and suggested that I ought to consider myself complimented at the fact that Town Topics printed notices about me.

Mr. Lehr said the following summer he subscribed to Fads and Fancies.

After Col. Mann promised to let up on you, did he do it?

He did.

And at the time you subscribed for Fads and Fancies you understood that the request came from Col. Mann?

I did.

In 1902 did you have a talk with Col. Mann?

Yes, a long one. He asked for a full-sized photograph of myself, a description of my town house and of my fads. I then told him I objected to being ridiculed in putting me in the same book with such prominent men. He agreed that I was right and said he would leave me out of the book.

How had Town Topics been treating you?

Sometimes not very well and at other times otherwise.

Did you ever see Rowe, the Newport correspondent?

Yes.

Did you ever give him information on social matters?

No. I was never asked to do so.

"When you saw Col. Mann, what did you say to him?" asked Mr. Jerome on cross examination.

I told the colonel that after these attacks on me in Town Topics, I felt very badly about them and was ashamed to go among my friends.

Why did you not sue him?

They were not serious enough for that.

Why did you not thrash him?

It never occurred to me to thrash Col. Mann.

Advocates Thrashing.

Mr. Osborne said he was astonished to hear the district attorney advocating the thrashing of a man. He said it was a crime to thrash anybody. Mr. Jerome, turning with a smile to Mr. Osborne, said: "And you're from the south?" Mr. Osborne again took the witness.

Was it not your inherent modesty as well as your desire not to pay $1,500 for Fads and Fancies that dictated your refusal?

Most decidedly.

Your modesty arose afterward, did it not?

No, at the time.

George Creighton Webb said he had never been blackmailed by Town Topics and had never paid any consideration for any articles. Mr. Osborne asked:

Did you not go to see Col. Mann because you had been badly treated?

I did.

What did he say?

He said that as I was a public man I had the right to expect to be written up, but that if I objected to the articles he would have them stopped. No articles appeared adverse to be for some time afterward. When these did appear I saw Col. Mann as an ex-officer of the United States army. Nothing appeared then until in 1904, in the summer, an article was published in the Town Topics which caused me to leave Bar Harbor.

Robert R. Rowe gave his occupation as the Newport correspondent of Town Topics.

Threatened Thrashing.

Did you make any physical threats against the colonel?

I told him I would take measures.

Well, what were those measures?

I told him my back was against the wall, and that I would not stand for any more of those articles.

You were a telegraph operator while acting as Town Topics correspondent?

Yes.

Mr. Osborne asked if the information he obtained through being an operator was given to Town Topics. The witness admitted the fact to be true.

Did you not go to a function at Newport disguised as a violin player?

Yes.

What was it?

The duchess of Marlborough's ball.

Did you report it to Town Topics?

Yes.

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Thursday, January 25, 1906.

By a vote of 17 to 5 the house committee on municipal corporations at Harrisburg voted to recommend affirmatively the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce bill for the consolidation of cities. This is good news. The bill provides for a vote of all the people affected, which is right. The consolidation could have been ordered without any vote, in the interest of the state, but it is better to have a vote of the people immediately concerned. The Greater Pittsburgh is coming and the community welcomes its imminent approach. The sooner, the better.

Secretary Bonaparte's plan to rehabilitate an old monitor for exhibition at Jamestown's celebration beside a modern battleship will be sufficiently instructive to justify the moderate expense attached. The monitors marked an important advance in naval construction and they vindicated the wisdom of their inventor. They rendered noble service and some experts declare the type, with some modifications, would not be hopelessly behind the times today.

A bill has been introduced in the Ohio legislature to legalize death by anaesthesia for "incurables." The bill will not pass. It is monstrous. No one is competent to decide who should be murdered in this way. Better let nature alone. If it is not desired to assist nature in prolonging life it would be better to adopt the semi-barbarous ethics of the Spartans. There is no warrant in morals or humaneness for taking life on the conjectures of mortal intellect.

After an absence of 44 years from his native land, the present king of Servia returned to occupy the throne in June, 1903. The dramatic assassination of his predecessor and his consort is still fresh in everybody's mind. Now the tide of discontent is rising again and King Peter, like the czar, finds it necessary to surround himself with safeguards formerly neglected. The expulsion of the king and family is the mildest measure suggested by his enemies. Servia is a small, but stormy country.

A resolution to return the Brand light resolution without recommendation but accompanied by the evidence taken, is the outcome of the sessions of the special committee. It is a remarkable result, reflecting discredit on the majority of members of the committee. The evidence was convincing though opposed to "orders." In select council it will be committed to the tender mercies of a body that rushed through the ordinance to ratify the unholy boulevard bargain and the corrupt grant of the boulevard franchise.

Apparently the congressional "insurrection" has been quelled. The rule to prohibit amendment of the joint statehood bill was adopted yesterday by a vote of 192 to 165, the Democrats voting with the "insurgents." It is probable the vote on the bill will show a much larger majority because the justice of admitting Oklahoma and Indian territory as the state of Oklahoma is incontestable. The development in those territories has been marvelous and is just fairly begun. The other state will be a doubtful quantity for some time to come.

Poultney Bigelow's retirement from a lectureship at Boston university, it appears, is not due solely to the recent incident in which he figured discreditably, but is the culmination of long-existent strained relations with that institution. Once before Mr. Bigelow resigned, after some indiscreet utterances on the subject of the negro, but was afterward permitted to resume his lectures. Bigelow is rapidly acquiring a reputation as a controversialist, but he is not noted for philosophic calm and that habit of correct observation which a college lecturer should possess.

Germany will attempt the solution of a problem which has arisen in many other countries also: How to divert the present drift of population from the country to the large cities so as to keep sufficient laborers on the farms. During last month over 300,000 agricultural laborers, chiefly from Austria, passed through the frontier stations on their way home, after having assisted in harvesting the German grain and beet crops. The number of foreigners visiting Germany for this purpose increases every year and an immense sum in wages leaves the country. An imperial commission will try to devise ways of inducing native Germans to stay on the farms. It has a difficult job on its hands.

Mr. Guthrie Does Better.

In the address of George W. Guthrie to the notification committee of the Civic party, the best sentence is one taken from Candidate Jenkinson's "primer" of reform. Mr. Jenkinson said: "For every mill levied the people should have an adequate return." Mr. Guthrie said: "For every dollar expended the city shall have a dollar's worth." The sentiment is the same. To modify the late Benjamin Franklin: "Take care of the mills and the dollars will take care of themselves."

Mr. Guthrie also patterns after Mr. Jenkinson's terse statement on the civil service, guaranteeing freedom of citizenship to public employes. Mr. Jenkinson, however, made a succinct pledge to not countenance political assessments any more than coercion of political action. There is the difference that Mr. Jenkinson states his points with the brevity and conciseness that indicate absolute certainty. There is neither confusion nor diffusion of ideas.

As a whole Mr. Guthrie's address of yesterday was much superior to that of the day before. On this occasion he stood on familiar ground, among friends; the day before he was pleading for votes from an element for which he must have felt contempt; restraining the hot impulse to denounce the most villainous exhibition of faithlessness to pledges in Pittsburgh history; apologizing for an administration for which no honest man can find an excuse. Under those conditions Mr. Guthrie appeared far from his best. He stumbled into false attitudes and into misstatements of fact.

In the matter of mills and dollars Mr. Guthrie flattered the Citizens machine and its Democratic cohorts by declaring the administration of the past three years to have been economical. The millage, he said, had been kept down to an average below 13; a debt of $3,000,000 had been discharged. Mr. Guthrie must have obtained these statistics, ready made, from some interested person. Every year under the present administration government—inefficient government—has cost more than for any previous year. The alleged discharge of debt has been principally a matter of bookkeeping. There have been bond issues for current expenses and to meet expenditures formerly met by direct levy, solely for the purpose of keeping down the millage. The city is now threatened with another bond issue of $2,000,000 for the same purpose. The valuation of taxable property has been raised from less than $300,000,000 to more than $400,000,000 so that 11 mills now will raise about the same amount of money that 15 mills would raise before this administration came into power. The millage has averaged nearly 13, including bond issues for current expenses the expenditures have been more than 13 mills on the one-third increase in valuations. The increase in expenses has been in excess of the proportional increase in population and every citizen can testify the quality of government has deteriorated. It is astounding to find Mr. Guthrie "jollying" his Citizens party adherents with the declaration that this is economy. To his Civic party friends of yesterday he handed out no such "hot air" about three years of notorious misrule.

An Impudent Proposal.

Again Kansas furnishes an incident of the unusual character that seems indigenous to the soil. Remarkable and original as some of the schemes originating in that state have been the proposition of the Kansas Civic league, submitted to the newspapers, excels them all for sublime audacity. We cannot conceive of the editors of Kansas giving up any prerogatives so the proposal of the league becomes ridiculous. What the Civic league asks of the editors is a pledge "to give no candidate for office active support who is opposed by the league." To put it bluntly they are asked to blindly advocate the candidates for office of the league's selection to the exclusion of any other worthy aspirants who may seek political honors.

The name of the organization making this extraordinary request suggests its object might be for the purification of political methods that have become obnoxious to the people, but by the very conditions the league would impose upon the press of Kansas it would establish a political censorship that would eclipse the most venal bossism that ever existed. Besides it is an offensive assumption of superior judgment. It is not surprising that it emanates from that class of reformers who believe everything is bad that is not approved by them. Of course, the editors of Kansas, who are nearly all active in politics, will not forswear their liberty of action and independence by agreeing to such a ridiculous proposition as has been submitted; nor will the people be governed by such a close corporation as the Civic league seeks to establish. The breezes that blow over the Sunflower state are not more unrestrained than the political freedom of its people. Freaks develop out there in great profusion, but nobody is ever tied to them.

A Congress of Capitals.

Sir Edwin Cornwall, chairman of the London county council, in a letter to a Berlin newspaper makes a suggestion for a "congress of capitals" which is of interest to this country, since he would invite the participation of American cities. The recent visit of Paris councilors to London is to be followed by a return of the London corporation. Berlin has also invited representatives of the British capital to accept her hospitality. These pleasant courtesies have suggested to Sir Edwin the holding of an annual "congress of capitals" for the discussion of municipal problems, bringing together "representatives of London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, Budapest, Rome, St. Petersburg, Madrid, Constantinople and, if our American friends will do us the honor to join this congress, New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston and Pittsburgh. The primary object of such a congress would be to discuss and study problems which are common to all large centers of population."

While the American cities mentioned are not capitals in the political sense, Sir Edwin doubtless employs the term to indicate chief municipalities. Students of municipal matters admit there are some things which "they do better abroad," while in others American cities are manifestly superior. An exchange of opinions and experiences would no doubt be beneficial, while tending to bring the municipal authorities of the different nations into closer relations. As suggested, the congress would possess no political significance, all questions being discussed from the municipal point of view. London extends an invitation to the proposed congress to hold its first meeting in her ancient guild hall, which it is hoped will take place during the present year.

Making a Little Progress.

Candidate Guthrie is making progress. He not only favors an investigation of the corrupt grant of the boulevard franchise, but declares they may "go as far as they —— please." The emphatic expletive is permissible if it does not shock Mr. Guthrie's "kid-glove" supporters. The investigation ought to go the fullest length, whether or not anyone pleases.

Meantime the Voters' Civic league and its attorneys have decided not to "discontinue" the suit in United States court affecting that franchise. Neither will they prosecute it unless the traction company fails to keep its agreement to keep off the boulevard. That is progressive, too, as far as it goes. But, if the prosecutors in this case have evidence of bribery and corruption in the grant of that franchise, are they doing right to permit a compromise to save the wrongdoers from the consequences of their acts? The Gazette warmly supported this suit throughout in the hope it would disclose the rascality and bring the rascals to justice. It cannot, now, approve anything short of an absolute renunciation to the public of all privileges acquired under that grant, and common council will commit a grievous error if it consents to the outrageous ordinance passed by select council on Monday.

Nine councilmen who voted to rush that ordinance through on Monday are candidates for re-election next month. Six of them have Citizens party nominations and the remaining three have always done Director Bigelow's bidding. It is expected that Mr. Guthrie's candidacy on the Citizens ticket will drag through the majority of these. Mr. Guthrie's apology for the misadministration of the past three years is expected to help them. As we said the other day, Mr. Guthrie has fallen into bad company. We believe he will suffer more from this association than his respectability will help his discredited associates.

A Chance for Our Orators.

Students of Cambridge university, England, skilled in the art of oratory, wish to measure words and wits with American college men. They should be accommodated. We have had numerous competitions of physical strength between representatives of the nations, such as rowing races, track events and boxing matches, but there have been no contests of an intellectual nature, if we except the chess cable matches. Oratory would provide a more spectacular contest than chess, especially if some live subject that is now agitating both nations were chosen for debate. So anxious have the Cambridge boys been to display their ability that they have challenged students of Paris for a debate on February 20. The Frenchmen are to speak in their native tongue and the Englishmen in theirs, the subject being whether a government has the right to declare war without the consent of its people. It is realized, however, that this will not be a fair test and that a debate between the two English-speaking peoples of the world would be more instructive.

Both eastern and western colleges in this country have been accustomed for years to hold debates, though the events have not attracted the attention accorded to athletic competitions. American college men should be able to send a creditable team to England. American oratory is still regarded by some misinformed persons on the other side as of the "spread-eagle" variety. The proposed debate would show them their mistake.

Adam Bede of Minnesota is so well known as a joker it is shocking to find him using the ancient gag about the Pilgrim Fathers landing at Plymouth Rock only because they were sea-sick. They landed because they were not Norse pirates.

While our contemporary, the Dispatch, continues to worry about the legality of the governor's supplemental call, a majority of Pittsburghers are content to accept the legal opinion of David Watson, Esq.

An eastern college has $100,000 in the athletic treasury as the result of gridiron games. There are football financiers as well as players, apparently.

While the Democrats are talking about reduced millage the administration is discussing bond issues to meet ordinary expenditures.

George W. Guthrie is the most nominated candidate and the most non-partisan Democrat in this city.

Odd how the "reform" press encourages reform at Harrisburg by sneering at the legislature.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS ON WAYS OF WORLD

Strive to Give Credit Wherever Due, for the Best of Us Need It.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Some of the best bits of verse, and most interesting sketches are drifting around year after year with no name attached. This is probably due to the fact that in clipping them the author's name was clipped off.

The name is sometimes left off because the clipping editor is not familiar with it, and for that reason does not think it worth while.

Every writer is entitled to credit for what his work is worth. If it lives for years, even for years after he is dead and gone, his name should live with it.

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A case in point. Some days ago a stanza, the theme of which was "We ought to be together, you and I," was found in an exchange credited to "Anon." Of course the author is unknown, and, in all probability, because some careless exchange editor had neglected to run his name with the lines when he republished them.

Errors are sometimes made in credits because of similarity of names, as was the case recently where we credited Rowland Hill with lines written by Edward Rowland Sill.

Many stray bits of good stuff are memorized by those whom they strike with force, but they forget the author's name, and when they write this out for publication no name is given.

Fortunately there is usually someone somewhere to catch you up when you give a wrong credit.

Mr. Quiet Observer:—I noted in your column the other day one of those curious "lapsus linguae," due to similarity of names. You have credited to Rowland Hill the reputation and poetry of Edward Rowland Sill.

Rowland Hill, afterward Sir Rowland Hill, is famed for his connection with the early history of penny postage in Great Britain, and is considered by many as the originator of penny postage and of the first postage stamp, or label.

Mr. Sill, in addition to his literary ability, was a musician of note, and played and taught pipe-organ. M. E. F.

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Dear knows! a man needs all the credit he can get, for even at that he will not have much, if any, to spare. But it seems that the gifted Sill has many friends and admirers right here, and they came promptly and demanded that he be given credit for the grand lines inadvertently credited to Rowland Hill, a foreigner.

Changing the subject, because it comes handy just here, what do you mean, or what do you think you mean, when you say "Dear Me?" Notwithstanding this expression is in common use, there are scarcely any who know its origin, or its meaning.

It is a corruption of the Italian "Die Mae,"—My God.

Thousands of those who use it daily, if not hourly, would tremble to say "My God," or if they did say it it would be thought profane, or at least disrespectful, by their neighbors.

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A correspondent is anxious to learn the name of the author of the beautiful hymn, "Death is only a dream;" also where he can get a complete copy of it. If you have it send it in.

Another would like to get onto the trail of the pathetic story of a little negro boy entitled "The Life of Tony," or something to that effect. Possibly some of our readers can give our New Sheffield correspondent a pointer that will enable her to find this sketch.

Who has a John Rogers primer to spare, or who can tell where one may be obtained? It has a picture of the good man Rogers bound to the stake, while his wife and nine small children, "one at the breast," are gathered around weeping.

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Have you seen Dr. Stiefel's book, "Slices from a Long Loaf?" It is not an ordinary book, except in appearance. And even in that it is hardly ordinary, being better than books usually are that bear a Pittsburgh imprint. The Bissell Block Publishing Company is a new one, and that may account for the natty style of this book.

It is a log-book of an eventful voyage by five Pittsburgh tourists down the beautiful Allegheny river from Oil City to Pittsburgh, with a few extra chips thrown in that may serve as a diversion. A memorable cruise amid unrivaled natural scenery, through a historical country that has now become the world's industrial center, about which are given facts and figures. Many things that happened en route, humorous and otherwise, and a few that are supposed to have happened in days gone by, are carefully recorded.

And then the author goes on to say, prefatorially: "This book was written simply because the author felt like writing it," which is the best possible excuse for writing a book, and a faithful promise of a good book, one written from the heart out.

The author, H. C. Stiefel, Ph. D., is a well known practical chemist, and a writer of no small caliber. The book is copiously illustrated by local artists, and with photographs of notable points along the way.

There ought to be more books like this one, for the people of one section don't know much about other sections, only as they read in sketches and books.

Equals Cassie Chadwick's Financing.

Since Cassie Chadwick retired from business there has been no such financier on public view as Col. W. D. Mann. His success in borrowing is phenomenal. He strikes the multi-millionaire, and checks gush forth and refresh the desert he is cultivating. His own explanation of his financial methods is that he has to borrow from one man to pay another, but the evidence has not yet disclosed any considerable number of persons who have been paid.—Philadelphia Record.

Monongahela's Woman Candidate.

Monongahela will come to the front with a woman for school director and the voters will be asked to vote on one of the fair sex to help conduct the school affairs there. This will be an experiment that will be watched with interest in the valley, as such a thing has not been tried in this vicinity. Hats off to the "new woman."—Charleroi Mail.

Answers to Correspondents.

Subscriber, Rogers, O.:—By the marshal of the district in which the court is held.

Vichert:—Address George H. Wilson, 521 Wood street.

BOBBIE BURNS.

By DUNCAN MACGREGOR.

Of all the flames in modern history;
That circle and crown poetic urns;
There's none excels in sweet minstrelsy
The pastorial lays of Bobbie Burns.

His verse kindles a light in Scottish lore;
A halo that in fadeless splendor burns;
Fanned by the wings of time to shine more and more;
Hail to the rythmic torch of Bobbie Burns.

His Highland Mary trod on his heart-strings;
Till the dirges of his soul—Bobbie turns
To sonnets, that in all lores spread their wings;
Hail to the loyal-hearted Bobbie Burns.

O, Land of the Scots—thy clans we praise,
Your Highlands, Lochs and Castles; but one learns
Highest laudels for Bobbie's sonnets to raise;
Hail to the immortal Bard—Bobbie Burns.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Janua

THE WORLD'S A STAGE AND WE THE PLAYERS

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Footlights.

By CHARLES M. BREGG.

Imitation is the curse of modern stage authorship. By this it is not meant that men who write for the stage are unconsciously led into similar style or into duplication of ideas. It remains that there is more deliberate stealing among a certain class of writers for the theater than at any previous period. Take any ditty that has made a hit in musical comedy, or an act that has caught popular attention in vaudeville, and you will find variations on them so nearly alike as to leave no room for doubt as to their origin. Some one wrote an alleged Indian melody, and a chorus in Indian toggery on the stage, was provided, and for a while we had a deluge of the Indian. Then some one had inventive skill enough to vary the racial aspects of the act and make it Mexican. Presto! "Mexico, My Mexico" sifted into half the musical and vaudeville acts then on the circuit. I have actually heard four variations of one song hit in local theaters at one time! But this gross plagiarism is not confined to songs. In stage business the imitator is just as offensively in evidence. If a certain chorus grouping is popular, it is caught up and duplicated on every stage from Portland to Frisco. If an idea in costume is promulgated it is repeated ad nauseum.

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It is quite natural, perhaps, that a popular fad should be immediately seized upon and given reflection upon the stage. The theater is a mirror of passing life in its best sense, but in the absence of more gifted means of transferring the subtler phases of our national life to dramatic expression, the stage has become the mere reflector of superficial and temporary fads. Take the automobile craze as an instance. There are four current dramas in New York in which an automobile figures as the chief "prop," two of these presenting mimic automobile races. In dozens of other "shows" of the musical type, some form of automobiling is satirized or glorified. The medium of Lulu Glaser's sprightly wit is saturated with automobile marginalia. The actress uses the "lingo" of the chauffeur and talks constantly in figures that only a practical automobilist can understand. This is all very well within certain limitations, and it is quite natural that the stage should seize these popular fads. It shows that the theater is at least alert to what is going on around it. But, oh, my! it does grow tiresome. Taken all in all, I suppose a considerable minority of theatergoers own or run automobiles or know anything about the technical terms involved in their use. This means that the imitative stage producers are shooting their fun over the heads of nine-tenths of their auditors. Stage people are themselves greatly given to automobiles and the unctuousness with which they perpetrate the automobile business on us, is partly compensation for the fact that we are in ignorance of the fine point of wit. With them it is personal experience, and as in the case when the actor gives us reflections of the life he leads on the stage, there is a ring of sincerity that increases the effectiveness. The real fun, however, is to see the people in front who do not know a steering-gear from a mouse trap, laugh uproariously at this automobile vernacular. I guess they think it is the proper thing in this day of red, green and purple tomcaus to pretend to know automobiling as a social distinction.

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There are curious entanglements sometimes. In the business department of stageland. Take young Guy Standing, for instance, who is just now playing in an Esmond comedy of recent production. Mr. Standing is at present under contract with Charles Frohman, who loaned him to Maurice Campbell, who in turn loaned him to Henry Miller. Mr. Standing has thus the somewhat unusual privilege of drawing a salary from three managers at one and the same time.

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Quaint and outre titles for plays are not confined to the foolish world of melodrama. Think of "Alice Sit By the Fire" as the title of a play, and a Barrie play at that. It sounds like some of those old Indian names, Rain-in-the-Face and Man-Afraid-of-His-Squaw. Last summer while Charles Frohman was in London he bought a play from an unknown author. In February and in London he will produce this play with Marie Tempest in the principal role and in America with perhaps Fay Davis in the same part. The play is called "All-of-a-Sudden Peggy." It is to be hoped the piece is better than its title.

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E. H. Sothern has some views about the national theater, and in Philadelphia last week gave them an airing. "Rightly speaking," Mr. Sothern said, "there is no educational force so potent as the stage, but, of course, it is a matter thoroughly of amusement with the average theatergoer. With the manager, naturally enough, as on that depends his living, the question of money must largely enter into it. 'How am I going to make money out of this thing?' is the question he must of necessity put to himself. So that the educational idea has much to contend against. This is where the value of a national theater would come in. Secure against the encroachments of commercialism, it could and should be entirely educational. The great classical pieces of all countries should find place there, and, on the whole, I should imagine a stock company would be the most effective way of managing it. Furthermore, and this is imperative if the national theater is to be an educational force, the prices should be as low as it would be possible to charge."

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The benefit matinee or night performance at the theator has grown to be an almost weekly feature in local theaterdom. The "benefit" is an old institution, but formerly it was made almost exclusively contributory to the needs of some one in "the profession." Play people are notoriously improvident. When sickness or incompetency overtakes them they are usually penniless, and their confreres must either come forward and lend a helping hand or else the indigent player becomes a public charge. To the everlasting credit of the actor folk, however, this rarely occurs. There are fewer ex-actors and actresses in our public charitable institutions than of any other profession in the world. The benefit is, or was, the usual method of raising money for brother actors, and there have been some monster ones in this cause. More recently the benefit has become a means of raising funds for all sorts of public and private institutions. If wisdom is exercised in the selection of an attraction, and the enterprise is properly "patronessed," there is much profit. Of course, the ticket buying in a majority of instances is involuntary, but, then, there are hundreds of people whose generosity is so fashioned that when they think they are getting something in return, will contribute to a cause, even though that "something" may have no value for them, and they will not even use it.

Not Up-to-Date Legislators.

If the bill introduced in the New York legislature pertaining to "grafting" was changed because the word is "not in the dictionaries," it is evident that the New York solons have not consulted the latest lexicographical output of the publishing houses.—Chicago Tribune.

Quite Likely It Will.

The Pennsylvania proposes to spend $100,000,000 in New York, and under the law prohibiting councilmen from having anything to say about the granting of franchises, it is expected that most of the sum will go into improvements.—Washington Post.

GREAT NORTH CHINA'S FRIENDLY FEELING

The Importance of Tientsin as Trading Center—Where Boycott Was Discouraged.

Special Agent Crist finds that Tientsin stands second among the treaty ports of China in the gross value of trade that passes through the port and also in the amount of revenue collected by the customs. In so far as American goods are concerned, Tientsin even has a rival claim on Shanghai for first place, from the fact that the great bulk of textiles goes to the northern part of China for consumption and the larger portion of this area is fed through the port of Tientsin. "This city," writes Mr. Crist, "became a treaty port in 1860, and now consists of a number of foreign settlements or concessions and the native city. Administrative control goes with these concessions. Great Britain now controlling 1,000 acres, France 330 acres, Japan 278 acres, and, finally, Germany, in 1898, secured a concession of 172 acres. Germany further secured, in 1901, an option on a desirable strip along the river bank. This will probably be only taken over in the event of construction of the projected Tientsin-Chinkiang railroad. After the siege of Tientsin in 1900 Russia, Belgium, Austria-Hungary, and Italy occupied territory along the east bank of the Pei-Ho in sections of 395, 238, 200 and 120 acres, respectively. All of these acts of sovereignty were ratified by China.

Value of Concessions.

"The United States stands alone among the great powers in that she has no foreign settlement in Tientsin. The peace compact of 1860 gave America this privilege and a reservation was provided for her. The United States consul exercised a quasi jurisdiction over it for 20 years, until 1880, at which time it reverted to China. In 1902 it was added to the British concession. The question is raised, 'Would it be to the commercial advantage of the United States to have a concession?' Two factors enter into this problem. The presence of the concession might attract more Americans to Tientsin and through them result in an increased American trade. The other and more important consideration, however, seems to me to be in the attitude of our government toward concessions and ultimately in the general policy of the United States toward the Chinese government itself.

"There can be no doubt, in spite of the recent boycott movement, that the Chinese people and government, with reason, feel more kindly disposed toward Americans than toward people of other nationalities. Inquiry among natives, where the nationality of the inquirer was unknown, has brought out the fact that they put American merchants upon a trifle more favorable footing than the others. Inasmuch as the American merchant, in carrying on business in any of the foreign concessions, has no restriction placed upon him that is not shared by all, a concession administered by American authority would confer very little advantage.

Discouraged the Boycott.

"How much the good will of the Chinese officials has saved the exporters to North China during the recent boycott is becoming apparent. As soon as the agitators began issuing boycott posters and calling meetings the viceroy of Chihli province, Yuan Shih-K'ai, warned the people by proclamation to desist. The viceroy, whose advisers were mostly educated in America, purposes fostering trade as much as possible, and is quick to realize the valuable elements in foreign innovations. His Excellency Yuan Shih-K'ai is a man of recognized administrative and executive ability, and it is probable he will be retained as viceroy through a long term, following the precedent of Li Hung Chang, who governed the provinces for 25 years. Thus the continuance of the present stable trade conditions is assured for the future. The country people, it may be added, are more readily won back by an appeal to their patriotic senses than by a purely commercial argument.

"The commercial growth of Tientsin is evidenced by the fact that the gross value of trade has doubled since 1890. In 1892 the trade amounted to $30,000,000 gold, and in 1899 it had increased to $68,500,000 gold. In 1902, after the Boxer difficulties subsided, the value amounted to $72,000,000, in 1903 it was $55,000,000, and in 1904 $55,700,000. This rise and depression were due to the purchasing to replenish depleted stocks in 1901-2, and the subsequent failure of the purchasing of the masses due to destroyed crops and houses, and the financial stringency of 1902-3, which was most potent in causing the shrinkage in the amount purchased and exported.

"The figures for the calendar year of 1905 will probably reveal that it was the banner trade year for the port of Tientsin, and the future greatness of the port is assured. Her tributary territory embraces 600,000 square miles, with a population of 177,000,000."

Increased Price of Bibles.

It seems queer that the automobile should raise the price of bibles. According to the London Guardian the Bible society is between the horns of the dilemma of either increasing the price or selling its Bibles at a greater loss, because the cost of leather suitable for bindings has been doubled in the past year. Among the causes that have brought this about are the drought in New Zealand, the troubles in Russia, the craving for patent leather shoes in America and the new demand for leather for motor coats.—New York Sun.

To Exterminate the Bandits.

The Italian residents of Scranton are to be commended for their determination to put an end to the practice of the "Black Hand" gentry. No one doubts the law-abiding character of a vast majority of the residents of Lackawanna county, who are of Italian birth. Among them are many of the leaders in Scranton's commerce and industry. As a class they have shown themselves to be progressive and enterprising and abundantly capable of becoming good citizens of the Republic.—Scranton Truth.

Greatness of Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh is already great, a giant in manufactures and immensely rich from the profits thereof. A city whose freightage exceeds in tonnage the combined freightage of New York, Chicago and Philadelphia is worthy of the attention of a wiser set of lawmakers than those now assembled at Harrisburg have proved themselves to be. But the proposed consolidation ought not to and, we suspect, will not meet much opposition.—Washington Post.

IN GOOD HUMOR.

"When Benjamin Franklin was young he made tallow candles."

"But he reformed, of course."

"Reformed from what?"

"From his wick-ed ways."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Intelligent Foreigner—Your President seems to have a great many of what you call fool friends.

Intelligent Native—Yes, but he has just as many fool enemies, and they offset each other.—Chicago Tribune.

"How does your grandmother get along now that she has lost all her teeth?"

"Oh, all right. You know she has a biting tongue."—Judge.

"And what security did you give for this loan of $200,000?" asked the lawyer of the witness.

The perpetrator of Fits and Fantasies drew himself up proudly.

"My standing as a gentleman," he said.

"Oh, I see," responded the lawyer. "And when did foreclosure take place?"

This, however, the witness deemed incompetent, immaterial and irrelevant.—Philadelphia Ledger.

STORIES FOUND IN THE LOBBIES

Interesting Happenings Concerning the People Who Are Traveling.

The annual banquet of the Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania will be an event of importance at the Hotel Schenley tomorrow evening. Invitations have been sent to all of the members, of which there are now about 300 in the country, and also to a number of noted men who will be guests. Among the honor guests will be James McCrea, first vice president of the Pennsylvania lines west, who will make an address. A number of other addresses of interest will be made by prominent members of the society. Preceding the banquet there will be a reception to members and guests at 6 o'clock, the dinner beginning at 6:30 o'clock. The banquet committee, of which George T. Barnsley, road engineer of Allegheny county, is chairman, has endeavored to bring into the annual banquet an interest greater than in former years.

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Former Uniontown Attorney Visiting.

James A. Huston, general manager for the American Bridge Company in the Pittsburgh district, left last night for a conference with officers of the company in New York. Mr. Huston said the winter has been an excellent season for bridge construction, the weather being such that the work has been retarded hardly a single day. There is plenty of work on hand and the prospects are bright. Mr. Huston also said the strike of the bridge workers and the further threatened strike on work in which American Bridge Company material is used, has had little, if any, effect on the company's business. He said the conference in New York will have no bearing whatever on the wage subject.

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Hotels Are Well Filled.

I. L. Johnson, a former lawyer of Uniontown and for some time district attorney of Fayette county, is registered at the Duquesne hotel from Denver, Col. Mr. Johnson has extensive gold mining interests near Tin Cup, Gunnison county, Colorado, and says the prospects are bright. He is also interested in coal lands in Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia and is here conferring with Joseph D. Johnson of Uniontown and others regarding these properties.

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The Pittsburgh hotels were well filled last night with people who travel. At some of the hotels the people had to be turned away, in fact, as early as 7 o'clock last evening. The traveling men are here in large numbers to interest merchants in goods for the summer trade.

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Clerk McDowell Goes to Washington.

The Hon. Alexander J. McDowell, clerk of the house, passed through Pittsburgh last night en route to Washington. Mr. McDowell came from Washington last Saturday morning to vote at the Republican primaries.

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Among the People Traveling.

John H. Jones, president of the Pittsburgh-Buffalo Company, and other coal operators from this district, left last night for Indianapolis to attend the conference with the United Mine Workers, which begins this afternoon.

A party of New York people who were guests at the Friend-Walker wedding Tuesday evening, went east in the private Pullman car Horatio last night.

The Rev. M. L. Furst, wife and son, of Butler, Ind., are visiting in Pittsburgh today. They are staying at the Monongahela house.

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Hotel Clerks to Name Officers.

The Hotel Clerks' association of Pittsburgh will hold its regular January meeting at the Colonial this evening. Officers for the ensuing year will be nominated.

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Undertakers Meet at Fort Pitt.

The executive committee of the State Undertakers' association met yesterday at the Fort Pitt to transact business.

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John Newell Solves a Problem.

"Speaking of Johnny Newell," quoth Inventor John H. Dixon at the St. Charles hotel, "He was producing oil with a man named Tyler at Bradford 25 years ago, while I, although not a broker, held a membership on the oil exchange, and they persuaded me to buy 5,000 barrels of oil for their joint account. About a fortnight later, when the market was down 20 cents a barrel, Tyler called and said he had been on a fishing trip and asked if Newell had done anything with their oil. When I told him I had not seen Newell since the time of buying the oil he wired John at Pittsburgh as follows: 'Brought you a nice mess of trout. Overdrawn at bank. Owe Dixon $1,000. What shall we do?' Newell wired back: 'Give Dixon the fish.'

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Colonial—N. D. Engelman, Akron; D. G. Bacon, Alliance; M. Callahan, Defiance; Charles Brandon, Stella, O.; J. J. Leidecker, Butler; James Kerr, Wellsboro.

Henry—R. H. Broadhead, Greenville; Thomas Sutton, Indiana; L. E. Chapin, Canton; L. C. Andrews, Lock Haven; C. W. Corey, Warren; R. L. Hall, Franklin; F. A. Gibson, Erie; G. W. Miller, Connellsville; H. A. Zimmerman, Youngstown.

Seventh Avenue—L. W. Meek, Waynesburg; W. H. Holbrook, Columbus; H. C. Salman, Monongahela; J. H. Bridgeman, New Martinsburg, W. Va.; J. M. Diebold, Jeannette.

Monongahela—E. C. Lippert, Cuyahoga Falls; Paul Terhune, Mercer; C. B. Ott, Wheeling; T. C. Kenney, Scottdale; C. S. Shriner, Waynesburg; W. H. Dull, Meyersdale.

Duquesne—E. F. Hartley, Fairmont; W. E. Moore, Connellsville; J. H. Dunbar, Youngstown; A. M. Jones, New Bethlehem.

Lincoln—D. Rohddy, Greensburg; J. J. Donnelly, Patton; W. M. Wallace, Youngstown; Charles Polscher, Toledo.

Newell—G. M. Jacobs, Butler; W. R. Calverley, Scott Haven; J. L. Davis, Marietta; J. M. Mackley, Sharon; E. S. Boyges, Clarksburg.

Fort Pitt—Ralph McAdoo, Ashland, O.; C. H. Deemar, California; H. L. Patterson, Youngstown; J. E. Huffman, Williamsport.

Boyer—W. A. Goehring, Zelienople; H. C. Schafer, Youngstown; W. H. Foreman, Indiana; A. A. Ferree, Tarentum; W. J. Patterson, New Galilee.

Anderson—M. R. Pepper, Parkersburg; W. D. Lackey, Ironton.

Griswold—J. T. Meals, Oil City; J. P. King, Tyrone; J. B. Krapps, Brownsville; D. C. Boyd, Orrville; C. H. Hall and G. R. V. Hall, Titusville.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—B. H. Taylor, A. C. Dinkey, C. L. Lorch, J. A. Childs.

Astor House—J. A. Beck.

Spalding—O. S. Cheesman.

Seville—G. E. Gimotto.

Cadillac—V. Q. Hickman, T. C. Witmer, J. C. Long, R. C. Frampton.

Broadway Central—L. Friedberg.

Gilsey—J. W. Pifer, L. H. Hoffman.

St. Denis—J. E. Porter, F. Doul.

Bartholdi—S. R. Ireland.

Victoria—G. A. Edgen.

Holland—F. E. Richardson, W. G. Park, Mrs. C. F. Faufman.

Imperial—G. E. Crone, F. C. Basmerot, A. C. Opperman, A. B. Snder.

Herald Square—W. S. Hill.

Navarre—J. C. Stonton, Mrs. Stanton, W. F. Reuder, F. E. Shallenberger.

Normandie—Miss A. Coelias, Mrs. N. M. Schiller, G. S. Duty.

Vendome—L. Garrison.

Manhattan—Miss M. Moreland, Mrs. A. M. Moreland.

Murray Hill—W. L. Fahnisen.

Fifth Avenue—Mrs. N. A. Weed, Mrs. E. M. Aiken, S. B. Stewart.

Park Avenue—R. H. Marshall, H. Oertel.

No Race Suicide There.

Registrar of Vital Statistics Brown complains that the local physicians are entirely too slow in reporting births. There is no reason to complain about the number of new ones ushered into existence in the Yough metropolis, however. Statistics show that there is no race suicide here.—Connellsville News.

Candidates Feeling Their Way.

Now that Congressman Dresser has decided not to be a candidate for a third term in congress, candidates are feeling their way as to the popular pulse, and there promises to be a contest in Clearfield county as well as in Center.—Raftsman's Journal.

LOCAL MEN FUSS DURING CAUCUS

Representatives Cook and Edlis Unable to Agree on New Apportionment Bill.

PROPOSED STATE BANK BILL

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 24.—Representatives Cook and Edlis are quarreling over the makeup of their district under the new apportionment bill. Effort to settle the troubles in the caucus of the Allegheny county delegation this afternoon were unavailing and another attempt will be made next Tuesday morning.

The Fourth district composed of the Second, Third, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Eleventh and Thirteenth wards of Pittsburgh, was made for Cook and Edlis. The two men have not worked in harmony at any time and Edlis wants a district consisting of the Eleventh and Thirteenth wards so he will be rid of Cook. This is not satisfactory to Cook, who says the remaining wards in the district would not have sufficient population for a district. He insists on the original lines with two members.

In the caucus the two men were very bitter and harsh things were said. Edlis proposed both would leave the settlement to the balance of the delegation. This was refused. Cook says Edlis has made a deal to receive the assistance of the four members from Allegheny in return for his support of the proposition to give the North Side a separate vote in the Greater Pittsburgh bill. Edlis admits he will help Allegheny, but denies he has entered into a deal.

Declines a Gambler's Chance.

The second proposition from Edlis was to settle the matter by flipping a coin. Cook declined. Edlis then said he was willing to carry the proposition on to the floor of the house and there tell all he knows about politics in their legislative district. Cook said he was satisfied to take his chances in the house. The delegation hopes to have the matter settled Tuesday.

Allegheny county is the largest beneficiary under a new apportionment and Chairman McWhinney, who will have charge of the bill, does not want a fight in his delegation. The recent mayoralty contest has much to do with the mixup. Chairman McWhinney will, tomorrow morning, report his apportionment bill to the house. It will come out with the Fourth district as at present formed. This arrangement is satisfactory to Cook and Edlis, pending a settlement of their quarrel. The caucus made another change in some of the other districts. This is believed to be final.

The new arrangement makes four single districts out of wards which were formerly in two districts with four members. The lines are: Fifth, Fourteenth and Twenty-third wards; Sixth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth wards; Seventh, Nineteenth and Twentieth wards; Eighth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Thirty-seventh wards.

Some Senatorial Changes.

Chairman Phillips of the senatorial apportionment committee of the senate, made some changes today in the bill the senate is preparing to offer. Senator Cummings, of Warren, refused to be put in a district with Crawford. Warren is to be joined with Forest, Venango and Clarion. Crawford and Mercer are put together. Armstrong and Butler make a district and Indiana and Jefferson are joined. Chairman Phillips says the plan is to hold the bill in committee until Monday. By that time he thinks all objections can be overcome and the bill put through the senate without a fight. The house committee will report a senatorial apportionment bill in the morning. Chairman Hitchcock of the house committee says the real bill will have to be prepared by a conference committee of the two bodies.

The administration bill regulating the deposit of state moneys was introduced into the house this morning by Chairman Jackson of the banking committee. The measure was drawn by Attorney General Carson and has the approval of Gov. Pennypacker.

Beginning with May of this year the Jackson bill provides the state depositories are to be selected by the board of revenue commissioners and the banking commissioner. The depositories must be subject to national or state supervision. All banks, banking institutions or trust companies that have been actually engaged in business under their charters for five years and upwards and have a cash capital actually paid in of $200,000, are eligible to become depositories.

Proposed Law Is Stringent.

Institutions desirous of becoming depositories must file a sworn statement designating the amount of deposit wanted, the bank's capital actually employed, amount of surplus, number of stockholders and whether the stock is well distributed or largely held by a few individuals. No institution is to receive a deposit in excess of 50 per cent of its paidin capital, surplus and undivided profits.

No bank shall at any time have aggregate deposits in excess of $500,000, whether the same be for general or sinking funds. At present there is no limit on the amount which may be placed in a bank. Changes are also suggested in the Jackson bill in the matter of bonds and interest charges, a 2 per cent straight rate being recommended.

A new thing proposed in the Jackson bill is the giving to a majority of the commission the right to withdraw their approval of any depository. Within 60 days after being notified of such action, the treasurer must take the money out of the bank. The penal clause reads:

It shall be a misdemeanor for any individual, whether a state officer, representative of a state officer, or bank officer, or any representative of a bank or bank officer, or officer of any trust company, or representative of any such officer or any to-be-seen to be paid, to receive, offer, request any money or valuable thing, or promise for the use of such state moneys other than the interest payable to the state. Said misdemeanor shall be punishable by a fine of not less than $500 and not less than one year's imprisonment for each offense, or by any person securing or assisting to secure a state deposit for his or her own personal gain or benefit.

What the Governor Wishes.

Gov. Pennypacker is prepared for the visit of the joint legislative committee tomorrow charged with ascertaining whether the executive desires to supplement his call for the extra session. He will tell the legislators he has no new subjects to submit and will indicate the legislature will perform a great service to the state by disposing of the business before it as speedily as possible and adjourning. This information may be followed by a resolution fixing the adjournment for February 15.

The house today postponed action on the bills abolishing fees and fixing the salaries of the secretary of the commonwealth and the insurance commissioner. This was done in order to ascertain whether, under the call of the governor, the question of salaries can be considered. There was a fight over the postponement, but the question was decided by a vote of 128 to 32.

The house passed finally the Philadelphia ripper, but not until many members had made speeches repenting their action of last session for supporting the measure. The vote was 183 to 2. Garner and Stiler of Schuylkill voted against the repeal.

The senate and house have concurred in a resolution authorizing the state treasurer to advance money to the legislators. Senator White of Beaver is the author of this popular proposition.

Effort was made in the house this morning to have the speaker rule on whether the Cassey bill relating to trolley companies occupying county bridges is germane to the governor's call. The speaker indicated he would rather be excused and the duty was avoided by postponing the bill.

Senator Grim, Democrat, of Bucks, tried to get the senate to go into executive session for the purpose of confirming the recess appointments of the governor. His purpose was to make an attack on the Quay monument commission. Delay was occasioned by a motion to give opportunity to ascertain whether it is legal to confirm appointments in special sessions.

Hoke of Franklin has introduced a bill which permits the state to spend not more than $150,000 in a year for rebuilding bridges destroyed by storm or flood. One-fourth of the expense of each bridge is to be borne by the counties interested.

Mr. Creasy is preparing to ask for an investigation of the fees received by the actuary of the insurance department. He wants to know the name of the real actuary, the sources of the fees, amounts and to whom they are paid. He claims the actuary last year received $30,000.

New Cases of Contagion.

One case of diphtheria, nine of typhoid fever, four of pneumonia, five of measles and one of erysipelas were reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday.

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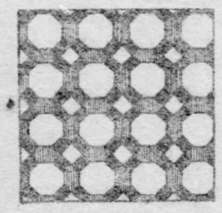

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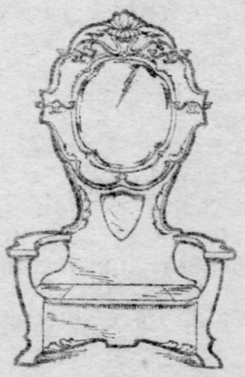

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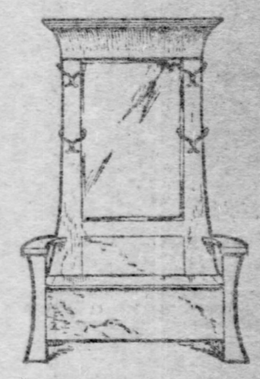

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In Oxidized Copper, $2. Reduced from $3.25. In oak finish..... $1.50

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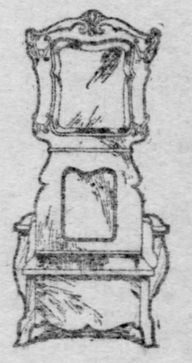
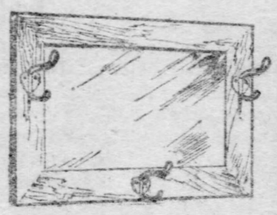
Golden Oak Hall Rack. Shaped mirror. Light carvings. Double Hooks $9.50



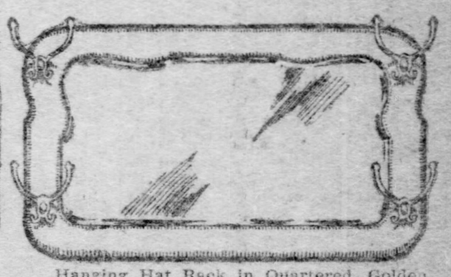
Golden Oak Hall Rack. Cabinet seat. Umbrella rack at side. French bevel mirror, $15

This Hall Rack in finest quartered golden oak. Cabinet seat. Double hooks. French bevel mirror..... $32



Hanging Hall Rack in Golden Oak. French. A good rack at a low price..... $2.50

This Hanging Hat Rack, Quartered Golden Oak. French bevel mirror. Four double hooks..... $6.50



Hanging Hat Rack in Quartered Golden Oak. Four double hat hooks. Pattern French bevel mirror. Value $10.50..... $8.50

W. H. KEECH CO. Keech's Furniture Makes Happy Homes 923 to 931 Penn Ave.

OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 193.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Irwin avenue and Irwin avenue extension, Second ward, from a point twenty (20) feet south of Beech street to the railroad bridge, and thence to North avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved June 19, 1905.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Irwin avenue and Irwin avenue extension, Second ward, from a point twenty (20) feet south of Beech street to the railroad bridge, and thence to North avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved June 19, 1905, which reads as follows:

"Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of 'Street Improvement Bonds,'" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils, this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 194.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Marion avenue, First ward, from Ohio street to Marburg street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved October 1st, 1904.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Marion avenue, First ward, from Ohio street to Marburg street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved October 1st, 1904, which reads as follows:

"Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of 'Street Improvement Bonds,'" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Grade Crossing Bonds."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 183.)

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the salary of the assistant superintendent of the bureau of building inspection, department of public safety.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after March 1, 1906, the salary of the assistant superintendent of the bureau of building inspection be and is hereby fixed at fifteen hundred ($1,500.00) dollars per annum, payable monthly. The above salary to be paid out of item No. 1, appropriation No. 49, bureau of building inspection, department of public safety.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 192.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 1 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the construction of a main sewer along the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railway and through the Allegheny parks, First and Second wards, from a point between Ridge avenue and Ohio street to Irwin avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved March 25th, 1904.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 1 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the construction of a main sewer along the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railway and through the Allegheny parks, First and Second wards, from a point between Ridge avenue and Ohio street to Irwin avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved March 25th, 1904, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a main sewer along the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railway and through the Allegheny parks, First and Second wards, from a point between Ridge avenue and Ohio street to Irwin avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided. The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of sewer bond fund," be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the construction of a main sewer along the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railway and through the Allegheny parks, First and Second wards, from a point between Ridge avenue and Ohio street to Irwin avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided. The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Grade Crossing Bonds."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 193.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Federal street, First and Fourth wards, from Church avenue to Penn street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved July 25th, 1904.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Federal street, First and Fourth wards, from Church avenue to Penn street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved July 25th, 1904, which reads as follows:

"Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of 'Street Improvement Bonds,'" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Grade Crossing Bonds."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 204.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Ridge avenue, First ward, from Marion avenue to Bank street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved January 28, 1905.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Ridge avenue, First ward, from Marion avenue to Bank street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved January 28, 1905, which reads as follows:

"Section 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of 'Street Improvement Bonds,'" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Grade Crossing Bonds."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 184.)

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the salary of the assistant plumbing inspector of the bureau of health, department of public safety.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after March 1, 1906, the salary of the assistant plumbing inspector of the bureau of health be and is hereby fixed at fifteen hundred ($1,500.00) dollars per annum, payable monthly. The above salary to be paid out of item No. 2, appropriation No. 7, bureau of health, department of public safety.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 131.)

AN ORDINANCE—Granting the Pressed Steel Car Company the right to construct and maintain a switch on, along, or across Preble avenue, (formerly Cass avenue), in the Ninth ward, from tracks of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railway through property of the Pressed Steel Car Company, thence across Edison street to property known as the Delafield estate on the east side of said street.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Pressed Steel Car Company be and is hereby granted permission to construct and maintain a switch on, along, or across Cass avenue and Edison street, in the Ninth ward, from a connection with the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railway tracks on the west and crossing Cass avenue to the property of the Pressed Steel Car Company, running through property of the said company and crossing said Edison street at a point 220 feet east of Cass avenue and 40 feet south of Cass avenue to the property known as the Delafield estate, on the east side of Edison street, according to accompanying plan.

Sec. 2. Said switch shall be constructed and maintained, and the payment of required license fee shall be made in accordance with ordinances now or hereafter enacted and in accordance with the directions of the department of public works and the committee of public works. Provided that said Pressed Steel Car Company shall keep said switch and crossing at the place where it is constructed in good repair as long as said switch is maintained and in case the same shall at any time be removed shall thoroughly repair the injury done by such removal.

Provided, further, that the right to maintain such switch shall be revocable by the city at any time after ten (10) years, and provided further, that said switch must be constructed within six months from passage of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

(No. 188.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 1 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the building of a manifold system, sixty (60) inch steel pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof," approved May 20th, 1905.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 1 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the building of a manifold system, sixty (60) inch steel pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof," approved May 20th, 1905, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the building of a manifold system, sixty (60) inch pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

"The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of 'Water Extension bonds, voted February 21st, 1905,'" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the building of a manifold system, sixty (60) inch steel pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

"The cost and expense of said improvement to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of 'Water Extension bonds, voted February 21st, 1905,'" be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the building of a manifold system, sixty (60) inch steel pipe line and appurtenances at the Montrose pumping station, and providing for the payment of the cost and expense thereof," approved May 20th, 1905, which reads as follows:

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FAVOR NEW BILL FOR THIRD-CLASS CITIES

Personal Registration Act for Classified Cities May Be Amended.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 24.—The Sheatz personal registration bill for the classified cities of Pennsylvania may be amended by the house elections committee to apply to first and second class cities only and a separate bill be framed for third class cities.

A meeting of representatives from 17 third class cities was held this afternoon at which a committee was appointed to draft a bill for cities of this class and to unite the co-operation of the chairman and counsel of the Pennsylvania ballot reform association.

The proposed bill will provide for two commissioners of registration at a salary from $50 to $100 a year and two registrars in every election precinct at $3 a day. The Sheatz bill provides for four commissioners in each city at a salary of $500 a year and four registrars to a precinct at $3 a day. The chief objection of the representatives from third class cities to this measure is that this feature would involve too much expense upon the smaller cities, which were less able to bear this expense than Philadelphia and the second class cities.

The house and senate elections committees gave a hearing on personal registration to representatives of the joint committee on elections code in the house chamber tonight. Speeches in favor of the Sheatz bill with the changes which have been suggested were made.

The judiciary general committees of the senate and house held a joint hearing today on the Goehring bill placing the state offices under civil service regulations. Speeches in favor of the measure were made by R. Francis Wood and Robert D. Jeks of Philadelphia, representing the Pennsylvania Civil Service association, and Stewart Wood of Philadelphia, representing the Committee of Seventy.

The McWhinney legislative apportionment bill, which increases the representation in the house from 204 to 207, will be reported from committee tomorrow in the house. Neither the house nor the senate apportionment committee has agreed on a bill to reapportion the state into senatorial districts. Both the house and the senate will adjourn tomorrow for the week.

DIED.

BECH—On Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at 8 p. m., CHARLES BECH.
Funeral services at 2 o'clock this afternoon from daughter's residence, Hazelwood avenue and Frank street, Twenty-third ward. Pittsburgh. Interment in South Side cemetery. [Kansas City and Denver Falls papers please copy.]

BOYD—On Monday, January 22, 1906, at 8 p. m., at her residence, Findleys Lake, N. Y., LILLIAN J. BOYD, daughter of George Jr. and Elizabeth Smalley (nee Scott).
Funeral services at her father's residence, 125 Superior avenue, Allegheny, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

DAWES—On Wednesday, January 24, 1906, at 2:40 p. m., at the residence of her son, James A. Dawes, 124 Bigham street, Mrs. MARY E., widow of Benjamin Dawes and mother of James A. and Edward A. Dawes, in her 70th year.
Funeral services at the residence of her son, 124 Bigham street, Saturday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.
[Norristown (Pa.), Cincinnati (O.), Chicago (Ill.), Jackson (Mich.) and Dayton (O.) papers please copy.]

FRIEBE—Suddenly, on Wednesday, January 24, 1906, at 12:45 a. m., HERMAN A. FRIEBE, husband of Caroline Friebe (nee Pfeil), aged 59 years, 9 months, 3 days.
Funeral services Friday at 2 p. m. at his late residence, 25 Orchard street, Knoxville. Friends of the family and members of the Germania lodge, No. 698, F. and A. M., are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in South Side cemetery.
[Baltimore (Md.) papers please copy.]

ISENGARD—On Monday, January 22, 1906, at 6:55 p. m., EMIL I. ISENGARD, beloved husband of Theresa Isengard (nee Mieke), in his 45th year.
Funeral from his late residence, No. 2426 Maple avenue, near McIntyre avenue, Allegheny, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

JACKSON—On Wednesday, January 24, 1906, at 11:25 p. m., ANNIE M. JACKSON, of 702 Jackson street, Bellevue.
Notice of funeral later.

LOGAN—On Wednesday, January 24, 1906, after a lingering illness, WILLIAM MILLER LOGAN, beloved husband of Katherine K. Logan (nee Waller), at the family residence, 296 Lincoln avenue, Bellevue, Pa., in the 45th year of his age.
Funeral services on Friday, January 26, at the First Presbyterian church, Fremont street, Bellevue, Pa., at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.
[Butler (Pa.) papers please copy.]

METZIER—On Monday, January 22, 1906, at 6 p. m., JULIUS METZIER, in his 72nd year, formerly of Pearl street, Bloomfield.
Funeral from the residence of his daughters, Agna and Pauline Metzler, No. 42 Isabella street, Allegheny, this morning at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, Ohio street, Allegheny, at 9 a. m., to which friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'GIBNEY—On Wednesday, January 24, 1906, at 3:40 a. m., SARAH M'GIBNEY (nee Moore), beloved wife of Joseph McGibney, in her 56th year.
Funeral services at her late residence, Willett road, Baldwin township, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at concord cemetery, Carrick borough.
[Elizabeth and Beaver (Pa.) papers please copy.]

M'NORTON—On Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at 4 a. m., PRISCILLA M'NORTON, widow of George McNorton, in her 84th year.
Funeral services at her late residence, 248 Winterburn avenue, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.
[Homestead, San Francisco and Los Angeles (Cal.) papers please copy.]

M'KEE—On Monday, January 22, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., at the residence of his niece, Mrs. D. R. Tow, No. 87 Sprague avenue, Bellevue, WILLIAM J. M'KEE, in his 67th year.
Funeral services at 8 o'clock this evening. Interment private Friday morning at Butler, Pa. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MYERS—On Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at 8:30 a. m., CARL BERNARD, beloved son of Charles F. and Rosie M. Myers (nee Portgeesse), aged 7 months 2 days.
Funeral from his parents' residence, No. 48 Royal street, Allegheny, on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Blessing services at St. Boniface Roman Catholic church, Royal street, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

NICHOLSON—On Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at 6:15 p. m., at Havana, Cuba, JOHN NICHOLSON, JR., in his 72nd year.
The remains will be brought to Allegheny, Pa., and buried from the family residence, 621 Arch street. Notice of date of services will be published later in daily papers.

PORTER—At Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, January 24, 1906, at 1:30 p. m., AGNES HUNTER PORTER, wife of C. A. Porter, in her 38th year.
Funeral services will be held at the residence of her mother, Mrs. J. C. Newmyer, 815 South avenue, Wilkinsburg, on Friday at 2 p. m. Interment private in Homewood cemetery.

ROBERTS—On Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at 9 p. m., at Leechburg, Pa., JOHN R. ROBERTS, formerly of Homer City, Indiana county, Pa., aged 71 years and 23 days.
Funeral services at Leechburg on Friday at 2 p. m. Interment private Saturday at Indiana.

SHANKS—On Monday, January 22, 1906, at 9:30 p. m., EDNA MAY, only daughter of Edwin and Susan Birch Shanks, aged 16 years, 7 months.
Funeral services at the family home, 510 Lowell street, East End, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.
[Ottawa (Ontario), St. Stephens and New Brunswick (Canada) papers please copy.]

SPEER—On Wednesday, January 24, 1906, at 8 p. m., RANDOLPH E. SPEER, husband of Stella Sharp Speer, at his residence on Holland avenue, Braddock, Pa.
Notice of funeral later.
[Steubenville (O.) papers please copy.]

WAGNER—At Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Tuesday, January 23, 1906, at 11:45 p. m., GEORGE AUSTIN, young son of George and Emma Wagner (nee Moore), aged 9 years, 2 months, 29 days.
Funeral services at his parents' residence, 606 Ella street, this morning at 10 o'clock. Interment at New Bethlehem, Pa., on Friday.

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A. M. MURDOCH,
Court 2222. 250 Fifth Avenue.

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SORE THROAT.

B. & B.

semi-annual remnant day, Friday, tomorrow

This is the greatest day of the three hundred and thirteen business days of the year at this store.

The day that all Remnants from common towel crash to the richest silks are all priced to sell—loss orcost is not considered—the only question is what price will sell the Remnant—and sell it on sight.

Not only Remnants but all odd lots and broken assortments—of every kind and description—whether a ten cent article or a Two Hundred Dollar Garment—that were slow sellers or that we want sold—in every department of the house—from top to bottom—get the same emphatic treatment as to price—as the Remnants—on this great Semi-Annual Remnant Day.

Store sold more dollars' worth by far last year than any year in its existence.

Required large stocks to do this—hence more Remnants and broken assortments.

Therefore we propose that this 1906—to-morrow's Semi-Annual Remnant Day—shall eclipse all that have ever come before—prices to do it.

Majority of the more than a million people within daily shopping distance know how this Remnant Day business is done here.

This Greater Pittsburg community is growing so fast—so many new people coming—and for these new people we tell here how it's done.

Every Remnant in the house is carefully measured up—yards and price for the whole Remnant marked on in plain figures in red ink—so that the buyer at a glance can tell all about it and practically wait on themselves.

Every Skirt, Dress or Suit length in Dress Goods and Suitings up to 9 yards—Silks up to 18 yards—all measured and marked in like manner as the Remnants—and red ink priced to do the business.

Every department in the house is rigidly gone through and every piece or item that was a slow seller is gotten out and a "Remnant Day" price put on.

It never pays to carry unproductive property—and for that reason we take the loss on the slow sellers—and do it on Remnant Day.

Hope all who have been here before—and all those new people who haven't will get here this time.

silks

Remnants, Waist, Petticoat and Dress lengths—plain colors and fancies for Shirt Waist Suits—and handsome Evening Silks—and Paris Novelties, up to $10.00—everything up to 18 yards goes.

Extent and character of this Silk stock is well known.

Remnant Day it's priced to clear.

Special—a big table Fancy Silks—Broche Taffetas, Corded Taffetas, etc., **25c.**

Remnants Black Silks—Taffetas, Peau de Soie, Peau de Cygne, etc.—½ to 18 yards—lining, waist and dress lengths—and Black Crepe de Chene dress lengths—Black Silks are over in the Silk Velvet Aisle for the day—separate and apart—so as to give more room for the sale.

Remnants and Dress lengths of plain Paris dressy Dress Goods.

We have done an enormous business—the red ink prices that these will be cleaned up at to-morrow will be a feature of the day.

Note some lots Dress Goods that are in the "slow seller" class—these prices they won't be in that class Friday.

Large lot Silk warp Eoliennes, Crepes, fancy Voiles and Canvas Suitings, genuine $1.00 and $1.25 goods, all **50c.**

Few surplus pieces—all Browns—$1.50 silk warp Crinkled Crepe, **25c**—not enough of these to last all day.

Big table—two lots—slow selling double width Children's or Women's house dress goods—in pretty neat armure woven checks in pretty dark colors—and dark Oxford—nearly Black—American Dress Goods, both lots, **7½c.**

Remnants Black Dress Goods, fine Broadcloths, Cheviots, Voiles, Eoliennes and other dressy and useful kinds—Black Mohairs and Sicilians—and the amount of skirt and dress lengths and the prices make it worth while for everybody who comes, to get to the Black Goods.

Two tables of Blacks—extraordinary.

Table No. 1—All wool and part wool Storm Serges, Twine Voiles, all wool Bedford Cords, and big lot of other weaves—50c and some as high as $1.00 Black Goods, all **25c.**

Table No. 2—Blacks, at **50c**—dressy and staple kinds—40 to 55 inches wide.

french challies

Remnants—waist, kimona and dress lengths—also the fine Waistings—so many—particularly French Challies—and so priced that it will be one of the best paying places to get to.

flannels and flannelettes

Remnants—hundreds upon hundreds—plain, fancies, all wool, and silk embroidered Cream White Skirting Remnants—so many that we had to put the red ink price on in the most emphatic way.

Large lot 12½ cent Pink Fleeced Jacquard Flannelettes—almost solid Pink—with small white woven jacquard figures—**7½c**—away less than wholesale cost—best and prettiest goods ever measured with a yard stick at the price.

5,000 yards extra good Flannelettes, **6¼c**—mostly ⅜-inch size, Pink and White checks, square and broken plaids and other fancies.

Lot 12½ cent double-width dark Plaid Fleeced Wrapper Goods—and a lot of pretty fancy colored striped single width Fleeced Wrapper Goods—both **5c.**

Remnants of fine White Goods and Wash Goods and Madras Shirtings—and thousands of them.

Two tables—and big tables—White Goods at two prices, **5c** and **7½c**—space prevents writing up these as they deserve.

remnants laces and embroideries

—flouncings, edgings and trimmings—medium to richest and finest dressy Novelties.

Remnants of Vals, Torchons, Venise, 1½ to 5-yard lengths—Lace all overs—short lengths and waist lengths—Remnants of Black Lace Nets and Grenadine—waist and skirt lengths—3 to 8 yards.

Insertions and All Overs, 1 to 5-yard lengths.

Remnant Day prices on all slightly mussed White Shirt Waist Patterns and Robes in machine and hand embroidered.

Lace and Embroidery Aisle is the place to-morrow—for pretty things and to save Dollars.

Ribbon Remnants and lots of them, **1c** to **$1.50.**

remnants dress linings

Percalines, Mercerized Satines, all silk linings, Satin Coat Linings, Canvas, etc.—priced to make a thorough clean-up—dress makers and all others take notice.

100 feet center counter Domestic Cotton Aisle piled with Percales—31 inches wide—light and dark dress styles—Tapestry Cretonnes, Dress Ginghams and double width—yard wide—Percales—dress styles, all **6½c** a yard.

A most positive and practical demonstration of good goods at Remnant Day prices.

10,000 yards fancy stripes and small checks and broken Plaid Dress Ginghams, **5c.**

Surplus lot very fine 20-cent yard wide Dress Satines, lustrous as silks—medium size white dots and rings—Navy and Black grounds only, **12½c.**

1,500 yards extra quality 25-cent Black and Colored Moreens, **15c.**

Remnant Day Prices on hundreds of soiled, mussed and odd lots of Blankets, Comforts, Bed Spreads, Feather Pillows, and Robe Blankets that will move them quick.

$8.50 silk covered Down Comforts, **$5.00** each.

$5.00 Satine covered Down Comforts, **$3.50** each.

$4.50 Fancy Plaid Country Blankets, **$3.00** each.

Remnant lot of Wool and Fur Afghans for go-carts and baby carriages, Half Price.

$6.00 ones, **$3.00.**
$4.00 ones, **$2.00.**
$3.00 ones, **$1.50.**
$2.00 ones, **$1.00.**

linens

Remnants of Table Linens, Soiled and Mussed Pattern Table Cloths, odd lots of Napkins, Remnants of White Linens, Crashes, etc.

Soiled and Mussed Decorative Linens at Remnant Day Prices.

neckwear

All the mussed and soiled Chemisettes and Cuff Setts, Coque, Marabout and Tulle Boas, Stocks and Mufflers, etc., so marked it will be a picnic at that section.

underwear

Silk Vests, Tights, Union Suits, and odds and ends of all kinds of Underwear for Women and Children, red inked to a basis that means they've got to go.

handkerchiefs, hosiery, gloves

—all to clear out all odd and soiled and broken lines without exception, and prices made that will do it.

Umbrellas, Leather Goods, Toilet Articles, price fixed for the day so people who get to these counters will get money's worth as never known before.

Parasols, Opera Bags, Traveling Bags, Suit Cases, Trunks, Brushes, Dress Shields, Soaps, Perfumes, etc., all offer opportunities to add much to your day's gains.

books and stationery

will present such inducements all who go near this section sure to see something they want so priced it will get a big business this Friday.

men's furnishings

American Hosiery Co. and Stuttgarter Underwear, Star Shirts, Muslin and Flannelette Night Shirts, Bath Robes, House Coats, Jersies, Fur Caps and other articles purely masculine will make it a day for men so important hundreds more will get here than ever attended a Remnant Day.

shoes

Whole stock ransacked and all odd sizes and broken lines marked in red ink at prices that will do the business.

Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes.

candy

Candy department does not have Remnants, but has lots of toothsome specials at prices to go there for to-morrow.

40c English Walnut Nougat, **20c** a pound.

35c Chocolate Chips, **20c** a pound.

25c Nut and Fruit Buttercups, **13c** a pound.

25c Mint and Vanilla Cream Bar, **13c** a pound.

25c Cocoanut Ices, **13c** a pound.

20c Molasses Kisses, **10c** a pound.

Lots of Imported Novelties for party favors—suitable for any event of the year, Half Price, 2c to **$1.63.**

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$18.50 and $20.00 Coat Suits, **$8.50.**

$33, $37.50 and $42.50 ones, **$18.50.**

$45 and $55.00 ones, **$25.00.**

Evening Gowns that were $35 to $40.00, for **$20.00.**

$75 to $95.00 ones, **$45.00.**

$150.00 to $225.00 ones, **$85.00.**

Silk Shirt Waist Suits that were $13.50 and $15.00, for **$5.00.**

$20.00 ones, **$8.50.**

White Lawn $7.50 and $8.50 Shirt Waist Suits, **$4.50**; $5.00 ones, **$2.50.**

Figured Organdie and White Mull Dresses that were $28.50 to $37.50, for **$12.50.**

White Lawn $16.50 to $22.50 Dresses and $25.00 Colored Organdie Dresses, **$10.00.**

A $55.00 figured Net Dress and a $65.00 Pink Mull Dress and a $55.00 White embroidered Dress, **$25.00** each.

Tight fitting three-quarter length $35.00 Tan Coats, **$15.00.**

$25.00 ones, **$12.50.**

$15.00 ones, **$5.00.**

Grey mixed $30.00 ones, **$12.50.**

$20.00 ones, **$10.00.**

$12.50 ones, **$5.00.**

Long Back Coats, 50 inch, $28.50 ones, **$15.00.**

$20.00 ones, **$10.00.**

Tan Jackets that were $20 and $22.50, for **$10.00.**

Three-quarter $22.50 Black Coats, **$12.50.**

$13.50 and $15.00 Black Jackets, **$7.50.**

Velour Blouses that were $35.00, for **$18.50.**

$25.00 ones, **$12.50.**

Evening Coats that were $65.00 reduced to **$40.00.**

$50.00 ones, **$28.50.**

$35.00 ones, **$20.00.**

White Silk and Lace Coats that were $125.00, for **$65.00** to-morrow.

$90.00 ones, **$50.00.**

Ten to $22.50 Skirts, **$5.00.**

6.50 Skirts, **$3.50.**

$5.00 Skirts, **$2.50.**

Misses' $75.00 Cloth and Velvet Suits, **$37.50.**

50 to $60.00 ones, **$35.00.**

35 to $48.00 ones, **$18.50.**

$18.50 to $28.50 ones, **$8.50.**

$10.00 Junior's Suits, **$3.50.**

Misses' $20.00 P. T. Suits, **$10.00.**

Ten to $15.00 ones, **$7.50.**

Misses' 30 to $42.50 Evening Gowns, **$18.50.**

50 and $55.00 ones, **$28.50.**

65 to $85.00 ones, **$42.50.**

Misses' 40 to $55.00 Evening Coats, **$28.50.**

A $75.00 Black Velvet Coat, **$25.00.**

Misses' Coats that were 10 to $20.00 for **$3.50.**

15 to $33.00 ones, **$5.00.**

Girls'—4 to 14—Winter Coats that were $33.00 red-inked, **$16.50.**

$16.50 ones, **$8.50.**

Children's Cloth and Velvet Walking Coats that were 15 to $20.00 for **$8.50.**

$20.00 for **$8.50.**

$7.50 to $13.50 ones, **$3.50.**

4 to $6.00 ones, **$1.50.**

Girls' 4 to 14 Wool Dresses that were 5 to $8.50 for **$3.50.**

$18.50 to $22.50 ones, **$10.00.**

Misses' $18.50 and $20.00 Silk Shirt Waist Suits, **$10.00.**

Misses' $4.50 and $5.00 two-piece Wash Dresses, **$1.50.**

$6.50 and $7.50 ones, **$2.50.**

Girls' 4 to 14 $2.00 and $3.50 Dresses, **$1.00.**

50c ones, **25c.**

Girls' $10.00 Pongee Coats, **$2.50.**

Girls' $10.00 to $13.50 Cloth Coats, **$5.00.**

Table of Girls' 3 and $3.50 Reefers, **$1.00** each.

Broken lots Bathing Suits at Remnant Day Prices.

furs

One $200.00 Sealskin Coat, **$100.00.**

$350.00 one, **$225.00.**

$375.00 one, **$250.00.**

$1,000.00 Broadtail Coat, **$350.00.**

$400.00 Broadtail Coat, **$200.00.**

$450.00 Broadtail Coat, **$150.00.**

$400.00 Broadtail Coat, **$50.00.**

$425.00 Mink Coat, **$250.00.**

$150.00 Moire Astrachan Coat, **$50.00.**

$175.00 one, **$50.00.**

$350.00 one, **$175.00.**

$165.00 and $175.00 Persian Lamb Coats, **$100.00.**

$375.00 one, **$187.50.**

$125.00 ones, **$75.00.**

$225.00 ones, **$150.00.**

$60.00 Squirrel Blouses, **$35.00.**

$135.00 Squirrel Coats, **$75.00.**

fur auto coats

$75.00 and $100.00 ones, **$45.00.**

$150.00 and $185.00 ones, **$75.00.**

$200.00 for **$100.00.**

fur capes

$225.00 ones, **$150.00.**

$45.00 for **$25.00.**

fur lined coats

$25.00 ones, **$18.50.**

$45.00 ones, **$25.00.**

$50.00 ones, **$35.00.**

$65.00 ones, **$45.00.**

$85.00 ones, **$50.00.**

$125.00 ones, **$85.00.**

$145.00 to $165.00 ones, **$100.00.**

Misses' $47.50 Fur lined Coats, **$25.00.**

Children's $37.50 ones, **$18.50.**

$28.50 ones, **$12.50.**

small furs

Some $10.00 pieces, **$2.50.**

$6.50 ones, **$3.50.**

$10.00 to $15.00 ones, **$5.00.**

$18.50 to $28.50 for **$10.00.**

$35.00 for **$15.00.**

$50 and $75.00 pieces, **$25.00.**

Setts that were $22.50 to $850.00 red-inked **$10.00** to **$425.00.**

waists

$1.00 White Madras and Lawn Waists, **50c.**

$1.50 and $2.00 Mohair, Wool Batiste, and Black and White Lawn Waists, **50c.**

$4.00 to $7.00 fancy Flannel and Wool Batiste Waists, including Fisk, Clark & Flagg make, **$1.00.**

$2.00 and $2.25 White Madras Waists, **$1.00.**

$5.00 and $5.50 White and Colored Silk Waists, slightly soiled, **$1.50.**

$5.00 and $5.50 White and Colored Silk Waists—slightly soiled, **$1.50.**

$5.50 and $6.50 Black Taffeta, Peau de Soie and Fancy Plaid Waists, **$3.50.**

$10.00 Light Evening Shades and Dark Taffeta Waists, **$5.00.**

All fine Evening Waists, reduced.

$10.00 to $50.00 ones, **$5.00** to **$25.00** to-morrow.

muslin underwear

Petticoats, Gowns, Drawers, Corset Covers—counters full of them red-inked to pay well to get up there.

Dollar pieces, **50c.**

$2.50 pieces, **$1.25.**

$4.50 pieces, **$3.00.**

French Underwear included.

$10.00 pieces, **$7.50.**

$35.00 pieces, **$22.50**

and others lower, higher and in between, on a like basis.

Silk Petticoats—$4.00 and $5.00 ones, **$3.00.**

$7.50 to $10.00 ones, **$5.00.**

$20.00 ones, **$13.50.**

$25.00 ones, **$15.00.**

$40.00 ones, **$20.00.**

corsets

—from most all best makers out on counter at red ink prices.

$1.00 ones, **50c.**

$2.00 ones, **$1.00.**

$5.00 ones, **$2.50.**

$8.50 ones, **$4.50.**

$12.00 ones, **$6.50.**

infants' wear

Infants' 75c Short Dresses, **50c.**

$1.00 ones, **65c.**

$2.00 ones, **$1.25.**

$4.50 and 5.00 ones, **$3.00.**

Infants' extra fine hand made Long Slips—$3.00 and $3.50 ones, **$1.50.**

$4.00 and $4.50 ones, **$2.50.**

$10.00 ones, **$5.00.**

$15.00 ones, **$7.50.**

$21.50 ones, **$12.00.**

$12.00 to $30.00 Fine Princess Dresses, **$6.00** to **$15.00.**

$12.00 to $27.50 Long Coats, **$7.50** to **$18.00.**

art needlework

Red ink used with a vengeance there.

Embroidered Linen Center Pieces—$6.00 ones, **$3.00.**

$8.00 ones, **$4.00.**

$15.00 ones, **$7.50.**

$20.00 ones, **$10.00.**

$10.00 Felt Table Covers, **$5.00.**

$16.50 ones, **$8.25.**

$12.00 Colored and White Linen Pillows, **$6.00.**

$16.50 ones, **$8.25.**

Cut edged and hemstitched Center Pieces and Scarfs, 25c to $2.00 ones, **12½c** to **$1.00.**

25c and 50c Stamped Pillow Tops, **12½c** and **25c.**

curtains and rugs

Every Odd piece or pair or small lot of Curtains—two, three, or four pairs, so red-inked, so much for the lot, as will sell it Friday.

Single Portieres and odd pairs—Rope Portieres, Madras Curtains, odd Couch Covers, Table Covers, Lambrequins, etc.

Remnants of Curtain Goods—Swisses, Nets, Laces, Cretonnes, Silkalines, Madras and other Art Cottons.

Silk Damasks, Tapestries, Plushes, Velours, Drapery Silks, etc., all Remnants measured up and prices so low for the piece the question will not be whether it will go but who gets it.

Remnants of Fringes and Cords, Odd Loops.

Carpet Samples and Carpet Remnants, Remnants of Linoleum, Remnants and odd rolls of Matting, Remnants of Table Oilcloth, Pole Trimmings, Pictures, Frames, Screens—large pieces of Roycroft Furniture, White and Brass Beds, and all odd and soiled Rugs, big and little, Domestic and Oriental, to be red-ink priced so they'll sell to-morrow, Friday.

Lot of Oriental Rugs, 3 by 4 feet, **$3.00** each.

Finer and larger, **$7.00.**

Extraordinary lot, hearth size, **$9.50.**

third floor will be packed with people to-morrow and all will be well repaid who go up there.

millinery

All the fine Trimmed Hats, Toques and Bonnets sorted into two lots at two prices.

10 to $18.00 ones, **$3.50.**

15 to $35.00 ones, **$5.00.**

Ready to wear Hats that sold $2.00 to $5.00 at **50c.**

Fine ones up to $12.00 for **$1.00**

Untrimmed Hats—odd shapes and colors and Children's Flats, all red inked to go to-morrow.

10c, 25c, 50c, $1.00.

Wire Frames, **5** and **10c.**

$2.00 to $4.00 Plumes, **$1.25.**

$1.25 to $2.00 Wings, **40c.**

75c Wings, **20c.**

Flowers that were 25 and 35 cents, **10c** a bunch.

75c and $1.00 ones, **25c** a bunch.

Extra fine French Flowers, $1.00 to $3.50 ones, all colors, **50c.**

Remnants of Braids—Woolen, Silk, Horsehair, fancy Plaids, Chenille and Vedda all measured and red inked so each and every piece will go to-morrow.

clothing

Odd lots Men's Suits, Winter Overcoats, Spring Overcoats, heavy and light weight Paddocks and Rain Coats, extra Trousers and Fancy Vests and Boys' Clothing all so red inked there won't be a garment left.

Men's Fur lined Overcoats, $350.00 one, **$225.00.**

$250.000 one, **$150.00.**

$75.00 one, **$50.00.**

$65.00 one, **$45.00.**

Men's and Boys' Hodgman's Mackintoshes and Rubber Coats,

$12.00 ones, **$6.00.**

$10.00 ones, **$5.00.**

$7.00 ones, **$3.50.**

$5.00 ones, **$2.50.**

$2.00 ones, **$1.00.**

hats

Entire stock Men's heavy Winter Caps to be sold to-morrow.

$1.50 ones, **75c.**

$1.00 ones, **50c.**

50c ones, **25c.**

Sample Hats—new $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00 Spring styles, **$1.85.**

Men's $2.00 Waterproof, Seal Plush Caps, $2.00 ones, **$1.00.**

Young Men's and Men's $3.00 light colored Soft Hats, **$1.50.**

$2.00 Soft Hats, Black and Colors, **$1.00.**

We want it understood—and we're in earnest—that to-morrow's Semi-Annual Remnant Day is the greatest proposition of its kind this store ever submitted. Sale starts when the Store opens—8 A. M.

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

ULAM ON TRIAL FOR KILLING BOY

Officer Who Shot W. De Forrest Lappe Must Face the Court on Manslaughter Charge.

DETECTIVE JOY IS SENTENCED

Policeman Rufus Ulam was indicted by the grand jury yesterday on a charge of voluntary manslaughter. Ulam shot and killed W. De Forrest Lappe, a young musician and composer, in Wood street. Lappe, with a crowd of friends, got into an argument on the street and Officer James Baker threatened to arrest the crowd, which ran. Ulam fired a shot. Lappe was hit in the back and died later at the Homeopathic hospital.

A true bill for murder was found against George Proctor, alias Alex Hamilton, a negro, and William Murphy and Harry Evans, white men. Proctor is charged with killing Abraham Marks, a Hebrew peddler, at Swissvale. Murphy is charged with assaulting Charles McMullen at Carrick during a fight after a drinking bout.

Other true bills were: Felonious assault, Thomas Cleyton, J. Joseph; entering a building, W. D. Barrett, H. J. Van Ripper; embezzlement, W. A. Gibson; aggravated assault, E. A. Frey; larceny, Luther Coles, Barbara Fursch, Kate Higginbottom, Grace Smith, John Harrington; assault and battery, Louis Diller, John Hang, jr., John Irwin, Arthur Jackson, Henry Klaber, Ernest Freiow, Albert Wolf; misdemeanor, George Bergstresser, Julia Mehan.

Goshen Richards, a giant negro burglar, who was captured by City Detective Lee in Smithfield street after a hard battle, during which the negro tried to shoot the detective, pleaded guilty to two charges. He robbed the residence of Nathan Marshall at Duquesne. He was attempting to pawn a watch when arrested.

Henry Miller was sentenced eight years to the penitentiary for stealing $30 from Charles Molesky while the latter was buying a railroad ticket at Union station.

Lafferty Goes to Workhouse.

James Lafferty, who pleaded guilty to a charge of arson in setting fire to a stable of H. C. Knasen of Homestead, was sentenced eight months to the workhouse.

Other cases were: Horace Armstead, entering a building, convicted; John Foulger, burglary, pleaded guilty; Frank Bassett, embezzlement, five months to the workhouse; George Preston, larceny, one year to the workhouse; J. S. Reed, larceny, four months to the workhouse; C. C. Haverly, larceny, six months to the workhouse; Frank Presto, larceny, five months to the workhouse; J. P. Reville, larceny, three months to the workhouse; Joseph Ginley, larceny, six months to the workhouse; John Hitrick, attempted criminal assault, 30 days to the workhouse; Andrew Diamond, larceny, sent to Huntingdon reformatory.

Judge McClung sentenced Frank Joy, a private detective, three months to the workhouse. Joy was convicted of conspiracy. He took an appeal to the superior court, and on being refused a new trial jumped his bail and went to Cleveland, O., where he was later arrested.

During the trial of the case of Louisa Anderson against the city of Allegheny, Craig Smith, assistant city solicitor of Allegheny, moved to have the case withdrawn from the jury on account of a remark which he said was made during the argument of Attorney A. W. Duff, that "if things were done as rotten in Allegheny city in 1873 as in 1906, the presumption is that grading was never done that way." Mr. Smith's motion was refused by Judge Kennedy. A verdict for the city was returned. The case was an appeal from an award of viewers on a street improvement. The plaintiff was assessed benefits, but she claimed her property was damaged in the sum of $2,000. The verdict allows neither damages nor benefits to be assessed.

Would Marry in the Philippines.

The commissioner has filed his report in the divorce suit of Cora B. White against Charles D. White. According to the testimony, White enlisted and went to the Philippines. George Sharp testified to receiving a letter from White in which White said he was living with a Filipino woman, whom he would likely marry and spend the rest of his days in the Philippines. Another letter to a brother reiterated his intention to remain in the Philippines, saying he was going into the saloon business.

Samuel Dempster and W. J. Gilmore filed a bill in equity against W. L. Scott & Co. and C. L. Saxton, asking for an accounting. It is alleged the defendants bought Allegheny property for the plaintiffs and led them to believe the price was $25,000. The plaintiffs say they later learned the owners had agreed to sell for $22,000.

A petition was filed in the supreme court asking for a reargument of the case of Frank Johnson, under sentence of death at New Castle for murder.

The following petitions in bankruptcy were filed: Joseph A. Menigat, a hotelkeeper of Ventrone, assets, $2,650, liabilities, $8,357 02; Lewis W. Bottrd, merchant, Meadville, Pa., assets, $1,540, liabilities, $6,581 91; Cora Etta Bottrd, merchant, Meadville, Pa., assets, $1,052, liabilities, $230.

Executions issued: A. B. Moore vs. Charles F. Rankin, $1,888; George W. Baldwin, use, vs. Philip C. Halzel, $1,676.

DEDICATE NEW PARISH HOUSE.

Interesting Exercises Will Occur at Old Trinity This Afternoon.

The formal dedication and opening of the new chapel and parish house of Trinity church will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, D. D., bishop of the diocese, will have charge of the services and will be assisted by the Rev. Dr. A. W. Arundel, rector of Trinity, and his assistant, the Rev. Lucius W. Shey.

A reception will be held in the Parish house from 7 to 10 this evening by the rector, wardens and vestrymen of Trinity parish.

Mrs. Corey Seriously Ill.

Mrs. Alfred A. Corey, mother of W. E. Corey, president of the United States Steel Corporation, is said to be critically ill at the family home in Hawkins avenue, North Braddock. She is suffering from asthma and pneumonia.

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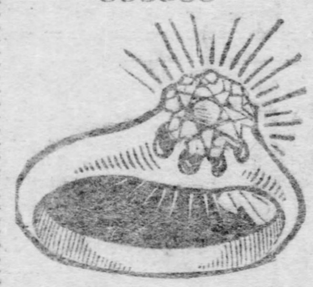

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PRE-INVENTORY SALE

INTERESTED customers are eagerly asking "How much longer will this pre-inventory sale continue?" Despite the warm, muggy weather of the past two or three days the crowds have made great inroads into the many surplus stocks, and Saturday will terminate the clearance sale.

SOLOMON'S

K. Solomon & Company, Smithfield and Diamond Sts.

WE take stock the end of the week, and as we approach the end of this pre-inventory sale the offerings partake of more money-saving significance, so today's news is of greater saving importance than any that has preceded it. It's worth coming miles to grasp these savings.

FORCING A QUICK CLEARANCE OF ALL FURS BY SACRIFICING ALL PROFITS

PITTSBURGH'S winter weather this year is predicted for February and March, with fur-wearing time up till Easter. That's what makes a bargain now worth while. The great lot of women's fur coats, fur-lined coats and neckpieces and fur muffs are dwindling most appreciably—the prices we have set upon all furs during this Pre-Inventory Sale would have sold them out long ere this had the weather been more conducive to wearing. But in a day or two many, many of these grand opportunities will have passed beyond your reach. So, if you would save about 50% come here today.

$25 for nearseal coats, worth $40. Made of nearseals evenly matched, 24 inches long, with new rolling collars, medium size reveres, latest cuffs and sleeves. Lined throughout with guaranteed satin. Reduced from $40 to sale price of $25

$30 for fur coats, sold at $50. Fine nearseals or Axsala seal, 24 inches long, with newest sleeves and rolling cuffs; chamois pockets. Lined with guaranteed satin. Splendid new models, at the sale price of $30

$40 for fur coats, sold at $65. Made of Axsala seal; the nearest to the genuine sealskin, trimmed with blended squirrel, reveres, collars and cuffs; 24 inches long, chamois pockets, newest sleeves, rolling cuffs, storm collar and Skinner's satin lining. Excellent garments at a great saving. Choice at sale price of.... $40

$25 for evenly matched Persian lamb coats, silk lined, sold at $50.

$75 for Persian lamb coats, guaranteed Leipsic dyed, sold up to $150.

$75 for Persian lamb blouses, guaranteed Leipsic dyed, sold at $125.

$165 for Persian lamb coats, baum marten collars and reveres; value $250.

$5.95 for neck scarfs, worth up to $10. Made of natural or blended squirrel. Jap. mink, Isabella and sable foxes in throws, cravats and neck scarfs. Trimmed with chenille, fancy braids and heads. Silk lined. Reduced from $10.00 to the sale price of $5.95

$7.95 for scarfs, worth up to $15. A lot of fur neckwear, made of squirrels, either natural or blended, in throws or cravat styles; also foxes and minks in shawl or throw effects. Choice at the sale price of $7.95

$10 for neckwear, worth up to $20. Made of Jap. minks, Persian lamb and natural or blended squirrels in collar, throw and scarf effects. Sold at $15, $18 and $20, all to be closed out at Sale price of $10

$3.95 for muffs worth $5.95. Made of Eastern minks, in sable shades; also imitation Chinchilla muffs in the newest shapes, softly bedded. Final reductions from $5.95 down to..... $3.95

$1.95 for $3 muffs. Made of Austrian sable and brown and black coney, in new pillow shapes—softly bedded. Exceptional values at $3, to be closed out at $1.95

Fur-lined coats of broadcloths, lined with fine squirrel and mink. Persian lamb, mink or lynx collars. All to be closed out at **half off present prices.**

Entire stock of Russian and Hudson Bay sable, chinchilla, ermine and white fox neckwear to be closed out at great reductions in prices. In order not to carry any of our fur sets for girls, misses or women over into the next season we have reduced the prices considerably below regular figures.

THIS WAIST SALE SETS THE RECORD FOR LOWEST PRICES

DO you appreciate the significance of that heading? You pay 75c for waists now that later on will cost you $1.50, and so on through the entire list of prices is the saving equally advantageous. Social engagements or the inclement weather do not deter the women from gathering around our special display tables every day, for the opportunities are rare, indeed, to get such exquisite waists for half and less than half price, with the season of wearing full ahead. The trend of purchasing is indicated by half and full dozen lots. Each waist possesses the undefinable something that gives it distinction and true artistic merit.

75c for waists, worth up to $1.50. Mountains of snowy white mull and lawn waists; also dotted Swisses, with pretty embroidered fronts and dainty lace trimmings. Newest sleeves and lace trimmed cuffs. Perfect fitting; open front and back. $1.50 values at the sale price of 75c

98c for waists worth up to $2.50. Beautiful new 1906 models with pretty yokes, embroidered fronts, long sleeves and dainty lace trimmings. Perfect fitting. An unequaled display at the sale price of 98c

$1.50 for waists worth up to $2.95. Fine white waists, trimmed with val. lace in front and back. Latest short or long sleeves and deep cuffs. Some with embroidery trimmings. The grandest variety ever shown in the two cities at double our price. Superior garments at sale price of $1.50

$2.95 for white waists worth up to $5.00. This immense purchase enables us to offer you the finest waists ever displayed. Made of white mulls, with embroidered fronts, lace trimmed backs, lace collars and deep cuffs. All sizes to go at the sale price of $2.95

$1.95 for Jap. silk waists, worth $3. Made of white Jap. silks with circular lace yokes and lace trimmed fronts and cuffs. Perfect fitting models that are $3 values, here at the sale price of $1.95

$3.95 for waists, value $6. Beautiful lingerie waists of French lawns and batistes with beautiful fronts and German Val. lace trimmings, Elbow or long sleeves. Extraordinary inducements at the sale price of $3.95

$4.95 for lingerie waists, worth up to $7.50. Some with hand embroidered fronts, others with circular or square yokes, and still others with lace insertion trimmed fronts. Elbow or long sleeves. Most celebrated makes and every waist perfect fitting. Sale price $4.95

$5.95 for waists, worth up to $10. Dainty creations in lingerie waists, showing the very newest styles for 1906. Elbow or long sleeves. Made of finest mulls and batistes with hand-embroidered fronts, shirring, pleats and German Val. lace trimming. Choice of waists worth up to $10 at the special sale figure of $5.95

Finer Lingerie Waists at $6.95, $7.95, $10, $12 and $15.

MISS THIS SKIRT SALE AND IT MEANS LOST SAVING OPPORTUNITIES

THIS great clearing sale of women's skirts has not reached its end yet, but one after another good lots—rich bargains—are ended. It won't pay to wait. We are offering better-than-ever bargains than at any time during the past season. Reductions are figured from the prices that ruled until this sale started—not from supposed values. Consequently, if you save 50% on a skirt now the amount of money saved is not to be reckoned upon the actual value of the skirt, but from the former regular price. Immense and tempting assortments; styles diversified enough to suit all; prices sufficiently low to tempt the most conservative economist.

$3.95 for skirts worth up to $8.50. Splendid values in walking skirts for women and misses. Made of Panamas, serges, broadcloths and worsteds, in black, blue, brown and greys. Some pleated, others narrowly gored and paneled. Extraordinary offering at sale price of..... $3.95

$7.95 for skirts sold up to $15.

Great lot of skirts of voiles and Panamas, in brown, green, white, blue and black; also black-and-white checks. Pleated, kilted, narrowly gored or flounced. Also broadcloths and serges, neatly tailored at..... $7.95

$4.95 for skirts worth up to $10. Made of broadcloths, Panamas, Sicilians, serges and mixtures, pleated, tucked, kilted or flounced; also some in circular styles. All placed on one rack and to be closed out at the Clearance Sale figure of only..... $4.95

$5.95 for skirts, sold up to $10. Choice of several hundred skirts of Panamas, serges, broadcloths, cheviots and fancy tweeds in colors, black and white. Charmingly evolved in the smartest new 1906 side pleated, full flare or gored effects. Exceptional bargains at the sale price of..... $5.95

$10 for skirts sold up to $20.

Voiles, serges, Panamas, light-weight broadcloths and cheviots, neatly tailored. Not complete line of sizes. $15, $18 and $20 garments all placed on one rack and to be closed out quickly at the sale figure of..... $10

$12 for skirts sold up to $25. Made of voiles, serges and broadcloths, in blue, brown and black, flounced, pleated or circular flares. Some with silk drop linings. Also fancy plaid skirts with silk drop linings. $20 and $25 values go at..... $12

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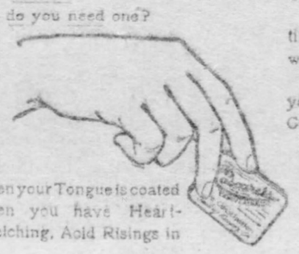
FOR Clear Eyes
—Sweet Breath
—Clean Tongue
—Calm Nerves
—Good Temper and
—Poise

Eat a Cascaret whenever you suspect you need it. Carry a little 10c Emergency box constantly with you, in your Purse or Pocket.

When do you need one?



—When your Tongue is coated
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That's the time to check coming Constipation, Indigestion and Dyspepsia.

That's the time to take a Cascaret.

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Cascarets don't purge, don't weaken, don't irritate, nor upset your stomach.

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This stronger action, producing greater nutrition from food, brings back to the Bowel-Muscles greater strength for self-operation.

The Bowel-Muscles can thus, in a short time, dispense with any Drug assistance whatever.

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OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 202.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Hahn alley, Sixth ward, from Juniata street to Rush street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved June 19, 1905.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Hahn alley, Sixth ward, from Juniata street to Rush street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved June 19, 1905, which reads as follows:

"Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of Street Improvement Bonds," be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Grade Crossing Bonds."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 18th day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.

SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.

ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN, Mayor.

OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 200.)

AN ORDINANCE—Amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing and ordering the regrading and repaving of Allegheny avenue, Sixth ward, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Juniata street to railroad bridge, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved June 19, 1905, which reads as follows:

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Street Improvement Bonds," be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. When said regrading and repaving is completed, the cost and expense thereof shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of "Grade Crossing Bonds."

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro. Tem. of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.

SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.

ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., January 20, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

Without waiting for a more direct question, the countess came forward and said, "As my husband has just told you, I was sitting up with our little Bertha. I was rather tired; for I had sat up the night before also, and I was beginning to nod, when a sudden noise aroused me. I was not quite sure whether I had really heard such a noise, but just then a second shot was heard. I left the room more astonished than frightened. Ah, sir! the fire had already made such headway that the staircase was as light as in broad day. I hurried down stairs. The outer door was open. I went out; and there, some five or six yards from me, I saw by the light of the flames, the body of my husband lying on the ground. I threw myself upon him; but he did not even hear me; his heart had ceased to beat. I thought he was dead; I called for help; I was in despair."

M. Seneschal and M. Daubigeon trembled with excitement. "Well, very well!" said M. Galpin-Daveline, with an air of satisfaction—"very well done!"

"You know," continued the countess, "how hard it is to rouse country people. It seems to me I remained ever so long alone there, kneeling by the side of my husband. At last the brightness of the fire awakened some of the farm hands, the workmen and our servants. They rushed out, crying 'Fire!' When they saw me they ran up and helped me to carry my husband to a place of safety; for the danger was increasing every minute. The fire was spreading with terrific violence, owing to a furious wind. The barns were one vast mass of fire; the outbuildings were burning, the distillery was in a blaze, and the flames escaped through the roof of the dwelling house in various places. There was not one cool head among the people there. I was so utterly bewildered that I forgot all about my children; and their room was already in flames, when a brave, bold fellow rushed in and snatched them from the very jaws of death. I did not come to myself till Dr. Seignebos arrived and spoke to me words of hope. 'This fire will probably ruin us; but what matters that, so long as my husband and my children are safe.'

During this recital the mayor, the public prosecutor, and even the servants had hardly been able to suppress their excitement. Dr. Seignebos, however, had more than once given utterance to contemptuous impatience. He did not appreciate these preliminary steps. He shrugged his shoulders, and growled between his teeth, "How prejudiced! How petty! How childish!" After having taken off his spectacles, wiped them and replaced them 20 times, he had sat himself down before a rickety table in one corner of the room, and amused himself with arranging the 15 or 20 shot which he had extracted from the count's wounds in long lines or small circles. But, when the countess uttered her last words, he rose, and turning to M. Galpin said in a curt tone, "Now, sir, I hope you will let me have my patient again."

The magistrate was not a little incensed, and with some reason surely. Frowning fiercely, he exclaimed, "I appreciate, sir, the importance of your duties; but mine are, I think, by no means less solemn nor less urgent."

"Oh!"

"Consequently, you will be pleased, sir, to grant me five minutes more."

"Ten, if it must be, sir. Only I warn you that every minute henceforth may endanger the life of my patient."

They had drawn near to each other, and stood close together, exchanging defiant glances, which betrayed the bitterest animosity. But surely they would not quarrel at the bedside of a dying man. Still the countess seemed to fear such a thing; for she said, reproachfully—"Gentlemen, I pray, gentlemen——"

Perhaps her intervention would have been of no avail, if M. Seneschal and M. Daubigeon had not stepped in, each addressing one of the two adversaries. M. Galpin-Daveline was apparently the most obstinate of the two; for, in spite of all, he turned again toward the count, and said—"I have only one more question to ask you, sir: Where and how were you standing, where and how do you think the murderer was standing at the moment when the crime was committed?"

"Sir," replied the count, evidently with a great effort, "I was standing, as I told you, on the threshold of my door, facing the courtyard. The murderer must have been standing some 20 yards off on my right, behind a pile of wood."

When he had written down this answer, the magistrate turned once more to the physician, and exclaimed, "You heard what was said, sir. It is now for you to assist justice by telling us at what distance the murderer must have been when he fired."

"I don't guess riddles," replied the physician, coarsely.

"Ah, have a care, sir!" said M. Galpin-Daveline, "Justice, whom I here represent, has the right and the means to enforce respect. You are a physician, sir; and your science is able to answer my question with almost mathematical accuracy."

The physician laughed, and replied, "Ah, indeed! Science has reached that point, has it? Which science? Medical jurisprudence, no doubt—that part of our profession which is at the service of courts, and obeys the judges' behests."

"Sir!"

But the doctor was not a man to allow himself to be defeated a second time. He went on coolly, "I know what you are going to say; there is no handbook of medical jurisprudence which does not peremptorily settle the question you ask me. I have studied these handbooks, these formidable weapons which you gentlemen of the law know so well how to handle. I know the opinions of Devergie and Orfila. I know even what Casper and Tardieu, and a host of others teach on the subject. I am fully aware that these gentlemen claim to be able to tell you by the inch at what distance a shot has been fired. But I am not so skilful. I am only a poor country practitioner, a simple healer of diseases. And before I give an opinion which may cost some poor devil his life, innocent though he be, I must have time to reflect, to consult data, and to compare other cases in my practice."

The doctor was so evidently right in reality, if not in form, that M. Galpin-Daveline gave way, "It is merely a matter of information that I request your opinion, sir," he observed. "Your real and carefully considered professional opinion will, of course, be given in a special statement."

"Ah, if that is the case!"

"Pray, inform me then, unofficially, what you think of the nature of the Count de Claudieuse's wounds."

Dr. Seignebos first settled his spectacles ceremoniously on his nose, and then replied, "My impression, so far as I am now able to judge, is, that the count has stated the facts precisely as they were. I am quite ready to believe that the murderer was lying in ambush behind one of the piles of wood, and at the distance which has been mentioned. I am able to affirm, moreover, that the two shots were fired at different distances—one much nearer than the other. The proof of it lies in the nature of the wounds, one of which, near the hip, may be scientifically called——"

"But we know at what distance a ball is spent," broke in M. Seneschal, whom the doctor's dogmatic tone began to annoy.

"Ah, do we know that, indeed? You know it, M. Seneschal? Well, I declare I don't. To be sure, I bear in mind what you seem to forget, that we have no longer, as in former days, only three or four kinds of guns. Have you thought of the immense variety of firearms, French and English, American and German, which are nowadays found in everybody's hands? Do you not see, you who have been a lawyer and a magistrate, that the whole legal question will be based upon this great and all important point?" So saying, the physician took up his instruments, resolved to give no other answer, and he was about to resume work, when fearful cries were heard without. The magistrates, the mayor and the countess herself rushed at once to the door. The cries were unfortunately not uttered without cause. The roof of the main building had just fallen in, burying under its ruins the poor drummer who had beaten the alarm a few hours ago, together with one of the firemen, a highly esteemed Sauveterre carpenter, father of five children.

Captain Parenteau seemed to be maddened by this disaster, and all vied with each other in efforts to rescue the poor fellows, whose shrieks of despair rose high above the crash of the falling timbers. But all endeavors proved unavailing. One of the gendarmes and a farmer, who had nearly succeeded in reaching the sufferers, barely escaped being hurt themselves, and were only rescued after being dangerously injured. Then only did the spectators seem fully aware of the abominable crime committed by the incendiary; and, as the clouds of smoke and columns of fire rose high into the air, fierce cries of vengeance broke forth:

"Death to the incendiary! Death!"

At this moment M. Seneschal was inspired with a sudden thought. He knew well enough how cautious all peasants are as a rule, and how difficult it is to make them tell what they know or what they know. He climbed, therefore, upon a heap of fallen beams, and exclaimed, in a clear, loud voice:

"Yes, my friends, you are right: death to the incendiary! Yes, the unfortunate victims of the basest of crimes must be avenged. We must find out the incendiary; we must! You want us to do so, don't you? Well, it depends only on you. There must be some one among you who knows something. Let him come forward and tell us what he has seen or heard. Remember, that the smallest trifle may be a clew to the crime. You would be as bad as the incendiary himself if you tried to screen him. Just think it over, consult one another, my friends."

A murmur ran through the crowd; then suddenly a voice exclaimed, "There is one person who can tell us something."

"Who?"

"Cocoleu. He was there from the beginning. It was he who went and brought the children out of their room. What has become of him? Cocoleu, Cocoleu!"

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

MORE AUTOMOBILE RECORDS BROKEN

Five-Mile Mark Is Twice Lowered on a Hard, Dry Track at Ormond.

ORMOND, FLA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Victor Hemery, winner of the Vanderbilt cup and in charge of the Darracq team here, played havoc with the second day's program of the automobile speed tournament here today on the Ormond-Daytona beach. In another fit of temper he refused to re-enter a heat in which a false start had been made, but demanded a place in the final heat. Upon this demand being refused for the second time since the tournament began, he withdrew the four Darracq racing machines from competition. His disqualification by the referee and his suspension by the American Automobile association promptly followed.

Nor is this the end of the matter, for two cablegrams concerning his case were dispatched to Paris, one from the American Automobile club of France, asking for Hemery's permanent suspension from racing, and the other from the American Darracq Company to A. Darracq, requesting that the control of the Darracq racing cars be transferred from Hemery to the American agents, in order that they may be driven at the tournament here by other chauffeurs. If control of the Darracq cars is transferred to the American Darracq Company represented here by C. D. Cook, it is believed that the basil race driver for H. L. Bowden will be selected to pilot the 200-horse power car on the beach.

Because of mishaps the 100 mile race scheduled for tomorrow has been postponed until Friday.

Taking advantage of the northern wind the racers were started from Ormond and run southward on the beach to the club house at Daytona. This course was in splendid condition.

The day's events were marked by an establishment of new and extraordinary world's records for five miles, and more or less serious accidents to three racing cars. McDonald's record, 3:47, for five miles, was reduced by Marriott in the little steamer to 3:47 1-5. In the heavyweight class every car that finished went under the former world's record. Lancia went over the course in 2:54 3-5; Fletcher in 3:02 and Clifford Earp, in the contest of gasoline cars only, in 2:56. Summaries:

Five-mile open championship—First heat won by Lancia, 110-horse power gasolene, time 2:54 3-5; Earp, 80-horse power gasolene, did not finish. Second heat won by Marriott, 220-horse power steam, 2:47 1-5; second, by Fletcher, 110-horse power gasolene; time 3:02. Final won by Lancia, time 3:01 1-5; second, Fletcher, time 3:02; third, Marriott, time 3:03.

Five-mile middleweight championship—Won by Cedrino, 24-30-horse power gasolene, time, 3:53 3-5; second, Holmes, 40-50-horse power gasolene, time 3:46.

Houghton Beaten by Michigan Soo.

SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH., Jan. 24.—With the largest attendance ever at a hockey game in this city, Houghton went down to defeat in the International league game played here tonight. The score was 6 to 1. McMillan for Soo made star plays, in one instance taking the puck down the rink alone and scoring. Spectacular features were common. The only score made by Houghton was shot by Brighton. There was no rough playing, Laviolette being the only man benched for a minor offense.

Paddy Nee Loses the Decision

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Jan. 24.—Tommy Prendergast of Saginaw, Mich., got a decision here tonight over Paddy Nee of Pittsburgh after 10 fast rounds.

HIGH WALL OF FIRE DEVASTATES COUNTRY

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The Melbourne correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: "Bush fires are raging throughout Victoria and great stretches of country have been devastated. A wall of fire a hundred feet high, driven by a gale, passed with appalling swiftness over Mount Fatigue, killing at least 15 persons.

Incorporate Traction Co.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 24.—The Interborough-Metropolitan company, of New York city, the corporation through which a union of the various transit systems in that city is to be effected, was incorporated today. It is organized with a capital of $15,000, which is divided into $5,000 preferred and $10,000 of common stock.

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On the contrary, the joys of each day should make us look forward with pleasant anticipations to the coming of the next. Without health this is impossible.

We have, to an extent, the power to command that health.

A lady, writing from Meadville, Pa., says that for 20 years she was a great sufferer from headaches (which were frequent, and confined to her bed for 24 hours at a time) and kidney troubles; that she employed numerous physicians from time to time and took much medicine, but got no help; that one doctor said her spine was afflicted, another that her sufferings came from female weakness, a third that her eyes brought it all on her, etc., etc., but that when the truth was reached it was found that her coffee-drinking habit was alone responsible—that she was "coffee poisoned."

So the good Samaritan told her about Postum Food Coffee and she determined to quit using the old kind and see what the new world do for her. She consigned the medicine bottles to the trash barrel along with the coffee canister and began to drink Postum.

"At first I did not like it," she says, "but when I learned how to prepare it I found it a most agreeable and refreshing beverage. I soon began to feel better, the headache grew less and less frequent and severe, my sleep became natural and restful, and now, after two years' use all my troubles have disappeared, including the affection of the kidneys, of which I was at one time most apprehensive.

"My weight has increased 22 pounds.

"I wish to speak within moderation, but I tell you the truth when I say that life looks bright to me now and I could not if I would, and would not if I could, give up Postum and go back to the old kind of coffee again." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in packages.

BIGELOW TELLS OF CITY NEEDS

Informs Sub-Committee How to Save Money on Light Contract.

TUBERCULOSIS IS DISCUSSED

The project of a city tuberculosis hospital, and Director Bigelow's estimates, were up before the finance sub-committee on appropriations yesterday. The meeting was held in the mayor's office, and Mayor Hays was present, taking much interest in the discussion of both subjects.

Mr. Bigelow said $304,000 would be required for new construction in the bureau of water, and at least $1,500,000 was needed for the extension of the water system in the Hazelwood district, but the latter item might be provided for by a bond issue. Mayor Hays wanted to know why the other item might not be included in the bond issue, and Mr. Bigelow said that $2,000,000 from bonds would meet the requirements nicely. The city had never laid a water pipe that had not paid at least 20 per cent on the investment, and some pipes had paid 300 per cent.

Concerning the estimates for lighting the city the director said the amount of the estimate depended upon the city councils. If a contract should be let for four years the city would save $50,000 a year for four years, or $200,000.

"That is a considerable sum," said the director, "and would keep me very comfortably for the four or five years I have to live."

Mr. Bigelow said the bureau of parks would need $35,000 for new work and $14,000 for other expenses; $12,000 would be required for board walks in about a dozen wards, and $132,000 ought to be spent for repairing streets.

The sub-committee heard the committee from the Allegheny County Medical society on the proposal to purchase the McConway property on Bedford avenue for a sanitarium for tuberculosis patients. Dr. W. J. Asdale, who headed the committee, said to purchase the grounds and house and repair and maintain the place for six months would cost $58,450, and the cost of operating the sanitarium for one year would be about $50,000. The grounds, three and three-quarters acres, would cost $31,000, the doctor said, the building $15,000 and repairs $10,000.

Mayor Hays said he had a daughter with tuberculosis, and he had spent thousands of dollars for medical treatment for her, with no perceptible benefit. Dr. Lawrence Litchfield and Dr. W. H. Ingram addressed the committee, Dr. Ingram giving statistics showing the great mortality from consumption.

After the doctors left the committee discussed the proposal with Mayor Hays. The mayor said the director of the department of charities ought to be consulted, as he is conducting a tuberculosis experiment at the city poor farm, and has asked for $5,000 for it. The committee decided to take up the matter with the director.

THAT BRAND RESOLUTION GOES BACK TO COUNCILS

Neither Affirmatively Nor Negatively Recommended by the Committee.

John Upperman, James J. Booth and Dr. H. B. Burns, the councilmanic special committee to which the Brand resolutions to secure cheaper electric light was referred, held a meeting yesterday. Again Upperman and Booth evaded the issue, although Dr. Burns tried to compel them to say boldly whether they were for or against the resolution.

Dr. Burns moved to refer the Brand resolution to council with an affirmative recommendation. Booth amended the motion to read that the resolution was returned without recommendation. The amendment carried, Booth and Upperman voting for it.

Dr. Burns protested that there ought to be either an affirmative or a negative recommendation, and Booth and Upperman both asserted that Booth's amendment was an affirmative recommendation, inasmuch as it was not negative, although Upperman confessed that he would not say on the floor of council that it was an affirmative recommendation.

TO HONOR FORMER PASTOR.

Trinity Lutheran Congregation Votes Memorial to the Rev. Dr. Goettman.

At the annual congregational meeting of Trinity Lutheran church, Allegheny, held last night, a committee was appointed to arrange for a memorial in honor of the Rev. John G. Goettman, who died in November and who was pastor of the congregation for 35 years and pastor emeritus for seven years. The committee was authorized to use its judgment in selecting either a tablet or memorial window.

The annual election resulted in the selection of Herbert Stifel as president of the congregation, Christian Yeager, elder; W. N. Knoedell, deacon, and William Pfahal, trustee. Reports showed that $2,450 had been donated to benevolences outside the church during the year and $7,600 toward church expenses. Preliminary arrangements were made to entertain the Pittsburgh synod, which meets in the church in October, when 200 visiting delegates are expected. The church membership is 900, and the Rev. Dr. Alonzo J. Turkle is pastor.

TRAIN KILLS TWO.

William Taylor, Allegheny Roofer, and an Unknown, the Victims.

William Taylor, a roofer, who was killed by a train in Preble avenue, Allegheny, Tuesday, was identified yesterday by his employer, G. D. Fisher of Allegheny. Taylor lived at 1810 Beaver avenue, Allegheny.

Frank Stoiber, aged 50, who was burned at the plant of the Braddock Brewing Company Tuesday, died early yesterday morning.

The body of an unknown white man was found at Marrown tipple, near the county line, last night, by the crew of a passenger train on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad.

GREAT BUSINESS PLACE IS COUNTY WORKHOUSE

Sales of Sauer Kraut, Natural Gas, Hides, Flowers and Rag Carpets Are Reported.

The cash receipts and expenditures of the county workhouse for 1905 were reported yesterday to Controller Booth. Some of the items of receipts are interesting, and all of them are as follows:

Cash on hand January 1, 1905, $8,858 29; received from county treasurer, $75,000; interest on daily balances, $347 57; from other counties for maintenance of prisoners, $16,450 35; from hired labor of prisoners and employes, $6,474 29; blacksmithing, horseshoeing and gas fitting, $449 65; from bookbinding, $13 25; from laundry work, $1,027 05; officers' and notary fees, $97 85; railroad tickets, telephoning and expressage refunded, $51 35; house rent, $52 95; contribution box, $9 56; unclaimed money of prisoners, $19 85; sale of natural gas, $489 52; sale of lumber, etc., $1,240 35; sale of scrap iron, rags and barrels, $184 29; sale of pipe, glass, paint, etc., $291 79; sale of coal, coke and wood, $39 45; sale of grease and tar, $116 25; live stock, $761 89; provisions, kraut and dressed hogs, $235 68; sale of vehicle, $90; farm products and flowers, $2,688 75; screens, furniture and repairs by carpenter, $786 47; quarried stone, $22 50; shoes, repairing shoes and clothing, $1,907 85; cow and calves' hides, $5 90; sale of ice, $119 81; rag carpets, $5,865 25; shoe and scrub brushes, $4 262 29; brooms, $41,827 38. Total receipts, $176,915 79.

Expenditures for broom corn and other material, $7,415 85; freight, $3,180 53; wages in broom factory, $4,790; overwork to prisoners, $756 95; bristles, flor rugs, etc., $2,459 81; freight on same, $85 59; cotton and warp, carpet rags, etc., $6,016 55; freight on material and manufactured carpet, $353; wages in carpet factory, $1,206; miscellaneous machinery, $1,649 50; freight expressage and railroad tickets, $1,513 12; gratuities to prisoners, $515 50; salaries and wages, $52,465 11; traveling expenses, $230 05; boiler inspection, $75; rent of telephones, $223 14; rent Delafield farm for 1905, $400; road tolls, $15 15; township road tax, $43 61; library, postage, etc., $767 44; recapturing and conveying escaped prisoners, $37 40; fire insurance, $80 17; repairs machinery and building, $7,071 75; brushes, specialties, etc., $196 23; benzine, oil, etc., $197 85; lime for whitewashing, $36; building material, $1,064; refunding, etc., $2,455 11; live stock, $1,956 90; hardware, etc., $1,124 65; plot guns, $156 50; coal and gas, $10,022 28; drugs, etc., $876 48; clothing and bedding, $1,198 28; material in power loom department for manufacture of clothes, etc., used in prison, $2,360 95; shoes, leather, etc., $4,376 75; flour, $8,222 50; beef, $5,909 89; pork, $62 15; groceries, etc., $3,589 15; feed for horses and cows, $1,358 10. Total, $176,915 79.

There is $16,564.19 in cash in the treasurer's hands, and $1,137.57 in cash in the office, a total of $17,631.76, on which warrants outstanding have been issued, leaving the cash available, $17,437.35.

Form Car Wheel Corporation.

The Butler Car Wheel Company is the name of a new corporation which has been organized by interests identified with the Standard Steel Car Company. The new concern will manufacture a large portion of the wheels to be used on the cars made by the Standard company, and the works of the wheel company will be erected adjacent to the Standard works in Butler.

The Death Roll

Mrs. Rachel Heath Edmundson.

Mrs. Rachel Heath Edmundson died last night at the home of her son, Elmer Edmundson, 117 Ninth avenue, McKeesport. She was born in 1824 in Jefferson township, and was a daughter of Henry and Nancy Heath. In 1842 she married Samuel S. Edmundson, who died 16 years ago. She had been a resident of McKeesport 14 years, and was the oldest living member of the First Methodist Episcopal church of that city. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Capt. J. G. Leezer of McKeesport, and one brother, Samuel Heath of Port Vue, and the following children: W. D., Elmer and Mrs. Winifred McCoy, McKeesport; Mrs. Nettie Fisher, Youngstown, O.; Mrs. P. Edmundson, Dighton, Kan.; H. Edmundson, Enid, Okla.; Harvey Edmundson, Pittsburgh; 50 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

In Memory of John R. Harbison.

A memorial meeting to take action on the death of Attorney John R. Harbison was held yesterday afternoon by the Allegheny County Bar Association. Judge J. W. Over presided. Addresses were made by Clarence Burleigh, William Challiner, J. Boyd Duff and William McElroy. Mr. Burleigh, J. M. Kerrigan and Thomas Bigham were appointed a committee to present appropriate minutes on the death of Mr. Harbison.

Mrs. Carl Porter.

Mrs. Agnes Newmyer Porter, wife of Carl Porter, aged 28, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Anna M. Newmyer, 825 South avenue, Wilkinsburg. She was born in Swissvale. After a brief residence in Pittsburgh she removed to Wilkinsburg, where she has lived for the last seven years. She was a member of the Second Presbyterian church and is survived by her husband, her mother, two brothers and two sisters.

Joseph Clark.

Joseph Clark, aged 50, a former resident of Latrobe, who for the past 10 years had been employed in the transfer department of the Pennsylvania railroad offices, Tenth street, died at 5:30 yesterday morning at Mercy hospital. He had been ill with typhoid fever for the past four weeks. He is survived by his sister, Miss Mary Clark of this city. The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Church of the Epiphany.

William M. Logan.

William M. Logan, aged 48, for 20 years a resident of Bellevue, was found dead in bed yesterday morning at his home, 326 Lincoln avenue. He had been in feeble health since he suffered a paralytic stroke several years ago. He is survived by his widow and one daughter. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the First Presbyterian church, Bellevue, of which deceased was a member.

Amelia G. Rihm.

Amelia Gertrude Rihm, aged 21, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Rihm, died Tuesday at the family home, near Glenshaw, of typhoid fever. She had made all arrangements for acting as bridesmaid at the wedding of her sister, Matilda, which was to have taken place next Tuesday. She was a meber of All Saints Roman Catholic church, Etna, where the funeral will be held at 9 o'clock this morning.

Herman Priebe.

Herman Priebe, aged 60, of Knoxville, was found dead in bed at his home, 225 Orchard avenue, at 12:45 yesterday morning. Mr. Priebe was born in Germany, coming to this country 40 years ago. For the past 15 years he had resided in Knoxville. He was a member of Germania lodge, F. and A. M. He is survived by his widow, one son, George, and four daughters, Carrie, Annie, Ida and Mabel.

Mary E. Dawes.

Mrs. Mary E. Dawes, aged 70, died at the residence of her son, J. A. Dawes, 121 Bingham street, Mt. Washington, yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock. Mrs. Dawes was the great granddaughter of Thomas Stone of Virginia, who was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. Mrs. Dawes was the daughter of Noah League of Winchester, Va., and was born at that place. When quite young she married Benjamin Dawes. For 35 years she had been a resident of Mt. Washington and a life-long member of the Methodist Episcopal church. She is survived by two sons, E. A. and J. A. Dawes. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Joseph McGibney.

Mrs. Joseph McGibney, aged 58, died at her home on the Willock road, Carrick borough, early yesterday morning. She was born in Baldwin township and had lived in that vicinity all her life. Her husband survives her with the following children: John of Mt. Oliver, Albert and Mrs Lydia at home, and Mrs. Belia Shore of Baldwin township.

Obituary Notes.

Edward M. Barndollar, aged 23, son of John W. and Harriet Barndollar, died Tuesday at the home of his parents, 619 West street. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Frederick Eckert, Sr., aged 58, died yesterday at the home of his son, Fred, Jr., near Lebanon church, Mifflin township. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Fred and Henry, and one daughter, Mrs. Wilhelmina Verreyth of New England.

Mrs. Catherine Muldoon, aged 62, widow of Patrick Muldoon, died Tuesday night at her home, Second and Trenton avenues, Homewood. She was a member of St. Stephen's Roman Catholic church, and of Branch No. 147, L. C. B. A. Three sons and two daughters survive.

PAY RESPECTS TO PRESIDENT.

Imperial Commission Is Received in the Blue Room at the White House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—China's imperial commission sent to the United States to study American conditions, was received formally by President Roosevelt today at the White House.

The commissioners, accompanied by Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, the Chinese minister to Washington; Charles Denby, chief clerk, and Prof. Jeremiah W. Jenks, of Cornell university, representing the state department, and 10 members of the commissioners' suite, reached the White House about 2:30 p. m.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

J. C. Crumrine, Eleanora Reichenmiller; Ervie Bruce, Mamie White; Harry Anderson, Rose Borkoski; Charles G. Stricker, Ethel M. Ayers; David A. Lewis, Edna I. Russell; William McPherson, Mary Kidd; E. M. Edwards, Elizabeth F. Hughes; all of Pittsburgh.

Albert H. Colley, Lottie Patterson; James P. Beckert, Birdie I. Turner; all of Allegheny.

William Maughen, Sarah A. Hadley, Smithdale.

William McGraw, Mary Carl, Turtle Creek.

Mark S. James, Anna M. Bond, Edgewood.

John Farnsworth, East Pittsburgh, Nellie Callahan, Turtle Creek; Calvin Forsythe, Monongahela, Dorothy Schindehutte, Pittsburgh; August F. Young, Ross township, Martha A. Wenzel, Allegheny.

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Remnants of Silks

Remnants of 50c Brocaded Silks—50c Dot and Small Figured Silks—75c Black Brocaded Silks—75c All-Silk Brocaded Satins—50c Black China Silks—50c Colored China Silks, etc.—all bunched at..... 19c yd.

Remnants of 55c Novelty Silks—Imported Washable Plaids—75c Black Waterproof Silks—75c Figured French Poplins—Brocaded Colored Silks—24 in. Brocaded Satins—27-in. India and Habutai Silks, etc.—all bunched at..... 29c yd.

Remnants of 36-in. Black Lining Taffetas—$1 and $1.25 Novelties—Novelty Silks and Velvets, etc.—all bunched at..... 39c yd.

Remnants of 58-in. Unbreakable Taffetas—All-silk Colored Messalines—$1.50 Evening Silks—27-in. Rouge Pongee Silk—$1.25 Black Moire Velour, etc.—all bunched at..... 44c yd.

Remnants of $1 36-in. Guaranteed Taffetas—Pompadour Figured Crepe de Chines—Black and White Novelty Silks—27-in. Novelty Silks, etc.—all bunched at..... 49c yd.

Remnants of 36-in. All-Silk Peau de Soie—27-in. Imported guaranteed Taffetas—Persian and Dresden Silks—36-in. Changeable Colored Taffetas—$1.25 and $1.50 Dresden Plaid Silks—and numerous other Silks, worth up to $2 yd.—all bunched at..... 59c yd.

Black Goods Remnants

Remnants of 25c to 39c Black Goods—(1 to 10 yds.), comprising Diagonal Serges, Plain Cashmeres, Fancy Jacquards, and other Weaves—Choice..... 9c yd.

Remnants of 40c to 69c Black Goods—(1½ to 8 yds.), comprising Panama Cloths, English Alpacas, Poplar Cloths, Storm Serges, and numerous other Weaves—Choice..... 19c yd.

Remnants of 69c to $1 Black Goods—(2½ to 8 yds.), comprising French Voiles, Mistral Etamines, English Brilliantines, Granite Cloths, Mohair Crepes, Sicilian Cheviots, Panamas, Voiles and numerous other Weaves—Choice..... 39c yd.

Remnants of $1.50 to $2.25 Black Goods—(2½ to 8 yds.), comprising Chiffon Voiles, Chiffon Panamas, Silk-finished Mohairs, Satin-faced Venetians, Prunellas, Henriettas, Melroses, Clay Serges, Cheviots, and other 40 to 54-in. Fabrics—Choice..... 59c yd.

Lining Remnants

Remnants 8½c Kid Cambric Dress Linings, 2½c yd.

Remnants 15c Silk-finished Percaline Dress Lining, 8½c yard.

Remnants 59c Silk Dress Lining, 25c yd.

Laces and Embroideries

Every short length, every soiled piece, every discontinued pattern—gets a greatly lowered price to cause its quick departure. You'll find big heaps of all kinds of laces and dress nets, Venise Galloons, Baby Irish Galloons and Edgings, real Linen Cluny Laces, Chantilly Laces, etc.—some at Half the original prices, others at less than half.

Hundreds of Pieces of pretty Point de Paris Lace Edges and Insertings, in numerous dainty patterns—off-the-piece price 7c and 10c, Remnant Sale Price, yd..... 2½c

1 to 8-yd. Lengths of all kinds of Wash Laces, such as Point de Paris, Platt Val. Torchon, Cluny, Medici and Point Russe Edges and Insertings, which sold as high as 15c yd., Remnant Sale Price, yd..... 2½c, 5c, 7c and 10c

Odd pieces of Valenciennes Lace Edges and Insertings—Worth 59c, 75c and $1 per piece—sold only by the piece of 12 yards, at..... 48c

2½ to 6-yd. Lengths of Embroideries of all kinds and styles—the Nainsook, Cambric and Swiss Bands, Edgings, Insertings and Flouncings, worth double the Remnant Sale Prices, which are, per yard..... 5c, 10c, 15c

Ribbons and Trimmings

Odd Lots and Remnants of 4 and 5-in. Taffeta Silk Ribbons that were 15c and 25c yd., Remnant Sale Price..... 10c

Remnant Lengths and Odd Pieces of all kinds of Braid Trimmings, plain colors and fancies, were originally 10c and 15c yd., Remnant Sale Price..... 2c

White Goods Remnants

Remnants 12½c French Nainsooks at 7½c yd.

Remnants 15c Figured Madras at 8½c yd.

Remnants 15c 33-in. Organdies at 10c yd.

Remnants 65c Imported Embroidered Swisses at 39c yd.

Remnants 75c Embroidered Linens at 45c yd.

Remnants 36-in. White Linens at 25c yd.

Flannel Remnants

Remnants 30c Country Shirting and Skirting Flannels at 18c yd.

Remnants 12½c Printed and Double-fleeced Flannels at 6¼c yd.

Remnants 8½c Canton Flannels at 4c yd.

Muslin Remnants

Remnants 25c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting at 15c yd.

Remnants 20c Table Oilcloth at 12½c yd.

Remnants 10c Stair Oilcloth at 6¼c yd.

Curtains, Draperies

All One and Two-Pair Lots of Real Lace and Bonne Femme Curtains go at **Half the Marked Prices.**

All Real Renaissance and Irish Point Lace Curtains marked $7.50 or less, of which we've only 2 or 3 pairs, now go at, pair..... 3.75

Any Pair of Portiers in our stock marked $7.50 to $16.50, today, per pair..... 5.98

Short Lengths of 50-in. Tapestries, in Oriental stripes; also Plain and Figured Reps; were 50c to $1.00 yd., Remnant Sale Price, yard..... 25c

Odds and ends of Lambrequins—All that remain of former $1.25 to $1.98 Sateen, Velour, Silk and Damask Lambrequins, now marked..... 98c

All Short Pieces of 50-in. Tapestries and Reps—Plain and figured—formerly sold up to $1 yard, Remnant Sale Price, yd., 25c—some that sold up to $2 at, yd..... 50c

Various Odd Patterns and Colorings of Brocatelles and Damasks enough of many pieces to cover complete parlor suites—formerly $1.50 to $2.75 yd., Remnant Sale Price, yd..... 1.00

Odd Lot of Window Shades—Made from short lengths of oil opaque, mounted on good rollers, assorted colors, each..... 15c

Lot of Squares of Tapestry, plain and figured Velour, Plush, Brocatelle and Silk and Satin Damask, made from short lengths of goods selling for $2.50 to $3.75 yard, nice for chair seats or cushion tops, each..... 39c

Carpets

Remnants and Half Rolls of best two-ply all-wool Ingrain Carpets—regularly 75c and 85c yard, Remnant Sale Price..... 38c

Remnants of Ingrain Carpets of various grades and patterns—worth up to 35c yd., Remnant Sale Price..... 18c

Remnants of Brussels Carpet—Enough Alike of many patterns for large rooms—worth up to 95c yd., Remnant Sale Price..... 48c

Dress Goods Remnants

Remnants (1¼ to 3-yd. lengths), Fancy Plaids, Checked Suitings, Fancy Waistings, Mercerized Waistings, and many other pretty Weaves—Worth 25c yd.— Choice..... 9c yd.

Remnants (2 to 8-yd. lengths), of Silk-finished Henriettas, All-wool Batistes, Shepherd Checks, Cashmere Voiles, Printed Challies and numerous other Weaves—Worth 35c to 50c yd.—Choice..... 19c yd.

Remnants (1½ to 8-yd. lengths), of Scotch Tailorings, Serges, Venetians, Henriettas, Voiles, Albatross, Challies, Batistes, Nun's Veilings and many other Weaves—Worth 50c to 75c yd.—Choice..... 28c yd.

Remnants (1½ to 10-yd. lengths), of Mixed Panamas, Homespuns, Vigoreaux, Blarney Tweeds, Pebble Cloths, Sicilians, Mohairs, Cheviots, Scotch Plaids, French Novelties, Silk and Wool Crepes and Rotiennes, Twine Voiles and Broadcloths—Worth 50c to $1.25 yd.— Choice..... 47c yd.

Same way with the finer Imported Dress Fabrics—3 to 7-yd. lengths, worth from $1.50 to $2.50 yard, Remnant Sale Price, yd..... 75c

Linen Remnants

Remnants of Bleached and Unbleached Table Damask—1½ to 2½ yds. long—at 25c, 50c, 69c, 1.00, 1.75 and 2.25 per length. Worth double.

1 to 5-yd. Lengths of Crash Towelings—at 4c, 15c, 19c and 29c per length.

Odd Lot of Scarfs and Squares—In openwork, drawn work or lace effects—former price 50c, Remnant Sale Price..... 29c

Odd Lot of Table Doylies and Lace Effect Doylies, worth 10c to 50c—some at 3 for 25c—others at..... 2 for 5c

Imported Cottons

Lot of Remnants, Short Pieces and Soiled and Mussed Imported Cotton Fabrics, in 2½ to 20-yd. lengths, which sold at 25c to 50c off the piece, in this Remnant Sale at, yd..... 5c

3 to 15-yd. lengths of French Percales, Lawns, Scotch Madras, Shirtings, Scotch Cheviot Shirtings, Dotted Swiss Mulls, Silk Mousselines, Dimities and many other Weaves—Worth 15c to 19c—Choice..... 9c yd.

3½ to 18-yd. lengths of Printed Silk Organdies, Printed French Plumetis, Mercerized Empress Cloth, Poplinettes and Soisettes, Mercerized Foulards and many other Weaves—Worth 19c to 35c—Choice..... 12c yd.

2½ to 14-yd. lengths of Scotch Ginghams, Mercerized Oxfords, Silk Mousseline de Soie, Floral Printed

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INLOW OUTFOUGHT BY JIMMY SCANLON

Altoona Heavyweight Stays Six Rounds in One-Sided Bout Before National Club.

ALL FIGHTS GO THE LIMIT

Billy Inlow of Altoona stayed six rounds with Jimmy Scanlon of Pittsburgh, the heavyweight champion of Australia, last night before the National Athletic club. Inlow was outfought from the start, but managed to stay. He fought a wild fight, swinging wildly, and at times rushing the issue. Scanlon, too, at times, fought a little fast, but the greater part of the time was cautious and took care that he did not have one of the many swings from Inlow land on a vunerable spot. There was not a knockdown, but in the first round Scanlon rushed Inlow to the ropes and planted right and left to the face. Inlow slipped and almost fell through the ropes.

Scanlon opened a bad cut near Inlow's left eye in the first round, and in a later round opened one near the region of the right. When Inlow would swing Scanlon would rush in and whip his right or left. Blood flowed freely and both men were covered with it. Inlow fought more like a street scrapper, and always was willing to force matters. Scanlon landed with sending right and left repeatedly to the head. Inlow had practically no science, and in consequence the fine work of Scanlon was not as prominent as if he had been against a better fighter. They fought under straight rules.

Joe Alton and Kid Carter, both local boys, met in the semi-final and they furnished one of the best bouts of the card. While no decision was given at the end of the six rounds a draw would have satisfied all. Alton did most of the leading, and his most effective blows were those delivered in the infighting, and more than once he made Carter feel the effects of them. Carter has a longer reach and got in some right and left. When the sixth round was closed Alton jumped through the ropes comparatively fresh, while Carter walked to his corner somewhat distressed.

Harry Brown, the local lightweight champion, met Tommy Bastley at 118 pounds in the opening bout. Bastley is a youngster, huskily built and not afraid to fight. He outpointed Brown easily and had he had more experience should have been declared the winner had a decision been rendered.

Young Hennikamp of McKees Rocks was on the card to meet Frank Kituse of East Pittsburgh, but failed to show up. Frank Diamond, a fighter in Jimmy Mason's stable, who scraps under the name of "Bananas," was substituted. Bananas had done no training, but he went into the fight and gave Kituse, who was well trained, a hard scrap. "Bananas" had a good uppercut with either hand, and his gameness and willingness earned him the applause of the crowd, which cheered him in the last rounds and when he was leaving the ring.

The show was attended by a large crowd and everything was orderly and well arranged. Yock Henninger refereed all the bouts and gave satisfaction.

PITTSBURGH'S NEW PITCHER.

He Is Elmer Moffit of the Central League and Is a Good Boy.

RICHMOND, IND., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Elmer Moffit, whose sale to the Pittsburgh National league ball team was announced today, had the best average of any of the Central league pitchers during the season of 1905. The deal for his services was made between Pittsburgh and the South Bend, Ind., clubs. So confident are the directors of the South Bend club that Moffit will make good that they have agreed with President Dreyfuss that in case he fails his trial shall cost the Pirates not one cent. In order to secure rentals with the big leaguers the South Bend club will get $1,500. Moffit was picked up from the prairie lots by Manager Grant in 1903, and has played only with the South Bend team since he entered professional ball. He is considered the most promising of the Hoosier pitchers at this time.

Patsy Donovan wants Pitcher Case for his Brooklyn team. He will not get him.

Charlie Ritchey's contract for 1906 arrived at headquarters yesterday.

QUEENS WILL NOT COME TO PITTSBURGH FOR SERIES

The Queen's varsity hockey seven which was scheduled to play the All-Collegians at Duquesne garden Friday evening and Carnegie Tech Saturday, have notified Manager McSwigan that they are unable to get the team together and consequently will have to cancel the games arranged for this week.

In consequence of the cancellation there will be no game on Friday night, but on Saturday night the All-Collegians will clash with Carnegie Tech.

Business Manager Frank Dauchey, in telegraphing to Manager McSwigan concerning the defeat at Calumet, merely says it was an off night, and does not comment on the refereeing of Gibson.

Quinn Signs With Peoria.

George Quinn, a Sharpsburg boy who played middlefield for the Sharpsburg Y. M. C. A., has been signed by the Peoria team of the Three I. league. Quinn is one of the best fielders in the country and is a strong hitter. He has played on many of the strong local teams, and a great future is predicted for him in the west.

Middies Will Enter Rifle Competition.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—It is very likely that a rifle team composed of midshipmen will meet a similar team of West Point cadets this spring, and will also enter the national competition at Sea Girt, N. J.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

De Havens want games at home for Thursday and Saturday night. Address Will Stuart, De Havens.

For the championship of Western Pennsylvania in the 15 and 16-year-old class the Leetsdale second team is putting up a hard fight.

The Bolger second team wants a game at its hall for Friday night, Northsides second or Zion Council second preferred. Address J. A. Kreither, 8 Market street, city, or call 3661 Court.

Mt. Oliver and Knoxville will play at Young's hall next Saturday evening.

The Joseph Horne Company team wants games with all 16-year-old teams having halls. Address Louis Luerzapf, Joseph Horne Company, supply department.

The Clayton club was defeated by Company A of Homestead 17 to 13.

The Perrysville Reserves are without a game for this Saturday evening at home. Any good 16-year-old team call 1497 L. Cedar after 6 p. m. or address John Fowler, 103 Chester avenue, Allegheny.

The Marlin team desires a game in its own hall for Friday evening. Call up 27 Y, Orchard P. & A. telephone between 7:30 and 8 p. m. this evening.

The Bedfords would like to hear from 16-year-old teams having halls. Write R. Gwyer, 119 Auriel street, South Side.

The Phipps boys defeated the Herron boys of Allegheny, 18 to 10.

The Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. will meet the East Apollo team at home Friday night and will play the University of West Virginia Saturday night at Morgantown.

E. M. Steuernagel has again consented to manage the North Sides. All first-class teams desiring games address E. M. Steuernagel, 928 Third street, Allegheny.

Last night at the Duquesne school house the champion Duquesne school team defeated the S. S. Seville team 16 to 6.

The Crescent Juniors of McKeesport challenge all 14-year-old teams having halls. Address C. Herkloz, 703 Fifth avenue, McKeesport.

The Ivanhoe club of Wilkinsburg defeated the Grace Social club of Mt. Washington by the score of 34 to 5.

The Maples defeated the Allentown Five in a preliminary to the South Side game, 11 to 7.

The Second ward Preps of Braddock have Mondays open for games away from home. Write S. Goldstein, 1226 Braddock avenue, Braddock.

The Homestead Midgets would like to hear from the Tenth United Presbyterian Reserves and all other 16-year-old teams with halls. Write Walter Gibson, postoffice box 324, Munhall.

The Company A beat the Clayton A. C. 17 to 13. Field goals, Fagan 3, Nuss, Weber 2, Walsh, Sweaver 3, Robinson 2, Miller. Foul goals, Kiester, Robinson.

WASHINGTON INDORSES P. O. AND W. VA. LEAGUE

Stock Company Will Be Formed to Finance Club—"Budget" Seamon Praised.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 24.—The business men of Washington at an enthusiastic mass meeting in the court house tonight unanimously indorsed the new Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia Baseball league and took definite steps for the organization of a representative team at this place. The meeting was well attended and plans were devised that will enable representatives from Washington to become a part of the league at the final organization meeting to be held in Pittsburgh next Sunday.

John L. Stewart presided at tonight's meeting and addresses were made by leading business men. Manager W. B. Seaman, of last year's team, made a stirring speech in which he stated that last year with but $1,500 at the beginning of the season, Washington had come out even. He said that money had been made on every game played on the home grounds and that had the attendance away from home been as good Washington would have cleared a handsome profit.

He stated that the Washington and Jefferson college authorities had given possession of College park. At the meeting it was decided to organize a stock company to finance the club. Two hundred and fifty shares of stock at $10 a share will be issued and in this way $2,500 will be secured. A committee consisting of W. B. Seaman, W. E. Brown, Howard Hunter, T. H. W. Fergus and John M. Dunn was appointed to organize the stock company. One man was offered to be allowed to subscribe for 10 shares of stock each and the organization committee promises to have $1,000 raised by Saturday.

The committee to attend the final organization meeting in Pittsburgh next Saturday morning will consist of W. B. Seaman, R. W. Irwin and T. H. W. Fergus.

Manager Seaman stated at the meeting tonight that five players of last year's team were under contract and that he had lines on other players that would make the team the coming summer at least 50 per cent stronger than that of last year.

The citizens at the meeting publicly thanked Manager Seaman for giving the town the best baseball in her history last year.

Wilbers Beaten at Hazelwood.

The Wilbers pool team of the South Side journeyed to Hazelwood and met defeat at the hands of the strong team of that place. Meehan was the star player, as he cleaned up every time he shot. The score was 100 to 90. Score:

Hazelwood—		Wilbers—	
Meehan	68	Pilny	11
Sadd	15	Kramer	17
Murray	19	Evans	24
Total	102	Total	52

Scratches—Wilbers, 3; Hazelwood, 1. Referee—Whittaker. Scorer—Ingram.

Meeting for New Castle.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—A meeting to form a permanent baseball organization here has been called for tomorrow night, when plans will be matured for the financing of the New Castle club of the Ohio and Pennsylvania league during the coming season. The franchise was awarded by the league to Percy Stetler of Altoona, but it is yet uncertain who will be employed as manager. Many desire Link Lowe, now of the Detroit team.

Olympics Lose to Zion Council.

Zionist Council—26.		Olympics—3.	
Fisher	F	Mulholland	
Left	F	Haberman	
Raphael	C	Geisler	
Warner	G	Gilbert	
Moses	G	Murray	

Field goals—Fisher 5, Left 3, Raphael 2, Warner, Moses, Mulholland 2. Foul goals—Left 2, Haberman 5.

Paddy Nee Has Another Match.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Paddy Nee of Pittsburgh, now in Chicago, was today matched with Steve Kenny of Milwaukee to fight six rounds on February 2 at 130 pounds, weigh in at 3 o'clock.

AMONG THE BOXERS.

At East Pittsburgh tonight the main bout will be of six rounds between Frank Morgan and Bert Wing, the latter of Cleveland. There will be three preliminaries. Frank Klause will meet Dick Givens, Tommy Lynch will meet Tommy Bastey and John Clark will meet Frank Herrera.

Mull Bowser and Frank Morgan are matched to meet Monday before the Liberty club at Kenwood lawn. They are to go six rounds.

At the show here on February 5 Paul Moore, Jock Phenecle, Joe Alton and Frank Carsey will meet four crack boxers of Cleveland.

CECELIA BOWLERS ROLL UP 941

For the First Time They Cross the 900 Line—Guyer Makes a Club Record.

SCORES ON OTHER ALLEYS

The Cecelias of the Allegheny section last night did themselves proud in the match with the Royals by not only taking two out of three games, but rolling up a score of 941. This is the fourth highest score made in the Allegheny section. The Federals led with 1,035, and also have 986. The North Sides rolled 984. The Cecelias have won five of the last nine games they played. The Royals have not been so fortunate, as yesterday's victory in the third game was only the second they gained in the last 24. Tommy Gwyer rolled 235 in the first game. This is the highest individual score made by any Cecelia player this season. The next best is 232, made by Ed Neidhart on January 5. Tommy also has a 220 score to his credit. The Royals were a bit erratic. Krah began with 121 and finished with 191. Thomas started off with 197, the highest on the team, and wound up with 149. Mohr and Bauer also lacked steadiness. That 941 score in the first game evidently unnerved them. It is the first 900 score made by the Cecelias this season. Scores:

Cecelia—				Royals—			
Neidhart	182	168	148	Krah	121	137	191
Suers	162	168	183	Bauer	174	152	143
Gwyer	235	148	178	Harflie	120		
Nix	179	172	148	Thomas	197	179	149
Logue	182	151	173	Mohr	180	136	190
				Stelnbocker		142	185
Totals	941	798	830	Totals	772	747	859

In the South Pittsburgh league last night on the Southern alleys the Southerns won two out of three games from the Shilohs. The Southerns put up three 800 scores, but lost the first game by a few pins. Hirsch was the star bowler with two 200 scores, also high score of 220 and the splendid average of 204. Scores:

Shiloh—				Southern—			
Tuohy	155	148	186	Williams	138	178	185
Poke	146	135	131	Yung	155	118	141
Baird	185	126	154	Snyder	165	184	157
Ruffel	122	190	186	Riesbuch	188	145	176
Charles	158	178	181	Hirsch	164	220	209
Totals	988	774	888	Totals	810	819	919

In the Bankers league last night on the Club alleys some remarkably fine team and individual scores were chalked up. The Farmers won all three games from their opponents and several of the other teams almost duplicated the feat. The star bowler of the match was Loveley, who rolled 203 and 202, while the average of 205 1-3. Other good bowlers were Tessman, McLean, Shaw, Underwood, West, Borchner, Overman and Christy. Games and scores:

Farmers—				Keystone—			
Underwood	153	207	140	Lancaster	156	144	168
Boyle	119	171	141	Lanahan	162	132	109
Coil	138	130	144	Slocum	141	125	122
Howell	131	131	181	Kerrigan	141	117	146
Tessmer	152	210	191	Merritt	147	131	112
Totals	744	855	808	Totals	691	649	648
Mellon—				Commonwealth—			
West	184	204	151	Thomas	139	149	169
Allison	127	157	120	Irish	99		
Fish	143	190	125	Morris	152	165	148
Mullen	157	142	158	Edwards	119	122	
Aston	129	128	140	Hoffmann	159	121	144
				Barrett		160	107
				Pforst			139
Totals	768	821	724	Totals	640	720	641
Columbia—				Diamond—			
McCaskey	165	178	172	Parsons	94	107	128
Cramp	132	141	158	Rose	102	167	135
Davidson	168	168	125	Fitzsimmons	121	154	165
Dierker	128	170	128	Donehoo	117	139	159
Hutchinson	161	173	112	Barker	156	192	220
Totals	750	808	684	Totals	570	744	805
Colonial—				Second—			
Young	134	146	150	A. McLean	173	180	198
Robb	124	173	208	Wilson	96		
Lyster	151	139	128	Shaw	179	108	215
Borchers	207	145	168	McLaughan	141	182	186
Fleming	141	153	117	C. McLean	198	158	194
				Stephenson		117	
				Herrod			142
Totals	757	761	852	Totals	863	715	811
Lincoln—				Pgh. Bank—			
Colbaugh	178	127	107	Brown	192	162	158
Johnston	115			Littell	145	133	124
Lue Ruer	121	130	145	Reese	160	112	127
Crawford	165	157	105	Woodburn	136	102	
Davies	126			Armor	167	132	141
Hill		130	127	Harold			134
Cowan		157	149				
Totals	715	711	621	Totals	800	641	684
German—				Guarantee—			
Eversman	158	204	168	Christy	201	156	178
Cole	118			Shoemaker	137	160	170
Villasck	162	186	146	Schuster	143	143	145
R. Reed	157	145	155	Borchers	173	149	170
Kapff	141	146	112	Lovejoy	187	204	195
H. Reed		184	149				
Totals	736	846	863	Totals	841	833	854

The Merchants lost a match to the Union team at Carnegie last night. Hoffner of the Merchants got high average of 189 and Holmes got high score of 179. Scores:

Merchants—				Unions—			
Hoffner	157	170	152	Foster	118	115	159
Beard	136	159	154	Bowers	121	140	152
Smith	144	142	162	Bulger	165	154	126
Cole	160	139	128	Rodda	151	159	152
Feight	120	124	138	Holmes	152	179	117
Totals	855	795	749	Totals	717	758	715

Following are the results of six matches played in the Allegheny County Duckpin league last night. Southerns won all three games from the Majestics, the Arlingtons did the same feat against the Libertys, and the Royals lost two out of three games to the Wilkinsburgs. The high bowlers were Fassold, Scott, Hardie, Duncan, Drake, Tregrasser and Schurr. Games and scores:

Southerns—				Majestics—			
Scott	96	87	115	F. Donahue	86	85	90
Weber	81	84	92	Elliott	79	74	74
Fassold	177	83	86	J. Donahue	85	66	77
Mary	106	91	93	Knoor	78	79	72
Erny	81	90	89	Paular	78	75	86
Totals	476	435	467	Totals	406	379	399
Royals—				Wilkinsburg—			
Duncan	87	105	83	Warfel	83	92	88
Cook	98	88	88	Eberly	102	91	89
A. Smith	82	79	96	Henning	76	83	88
Wilson	87	79	87	McMillian	84	89	97
Denny	94	72	87	Hardie	90	103	88
Totals	448	423	451	Totals	436	446	462
Arlington—				Library—			
Drake	81	107	89	Siebel	97	83	76
Bryan	78	90	86	Loy	78	94	71
Tregrasser	101	50		Lewis	74	80	76
Duncan	92	77	86	Scharf	94	83	111
Miller	82	82	84	Boyd	95	76	84
Hahne	77		88				
Totals	429	459	443	Totals	418	421	417

Harmonie Gesangverein of Hazelwood and the Franz Abt Liederkranz of Millvale will meet on the Hazelwood alleys tomorrow night. The same players that took part in the three games at Millvale when Franz Abt won three games, will play in this series.

The Pittsburgh Athletic club bats roll on the Penn avenue alleys Saturday afternoon when Caddy, Heisey, Gusky, Mike Sohl and P. Greb will clash against the Has Beens, who are Collins, Wagner, Rodgers, Merkel, Fereday and T. Greb, for $50 a side. Capt. Fred Freund will bet $25 on the side that his stars will win by 150 pins.

Hergenroeder and Roener are ready to meet Pfeil and Schaefer in a series of duckpin games throughout the Friendship alleys and three on the Southern alleys, total pins to count. Answer through The Gazette.

John Kerley has joined the Braddock team and will be eligible to bowl on February 2.

The Federal-Sharpsburg match was placed on page 12 of The Gazette yesterday.

Hirsch of the South Side is ready to roll Paulus for the South Side challenge cup on Friday. Answer through The Gazette.

Etna is bowling mad since the opening of the new Brunswick alleys Saturday. The three alleys are kept in use constantly and the game is becoming more popular than ever. The Etna and Sharpsburg Elks teams will play the first match on the new alleys on Monday night.

Hans Wagner to Bowl at Washington.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Arrangements have been made for a bowling match on local alleys next Monday evening between the champion N. P. L. team of the Association league of this place, and the Carnegie five, captained by Hans Wagner, the Pittsburgh baseball player.

The Scholastic team of the Association league captured two games of a well bowled match from Colonials of the same organization. Northrup had high score of 211, and high average of 192 1-3. Score:

Scholastics—				Colonials—			
Dawson	142	157	126	Hull	168	146	150
Busby	144	164	185	Horn	119	112	161
Northrup	184	211	182	Miller	148	164	184
Ward	139	141	174	James	166	198	162
Busby	167	147	158	Burton	189	178	187
Totals	769	817	805	Totals	725	793	845

Philadelphia Sure of Game.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Overtures looking toward resuming the playing of the Army-Navy football game at Franklin field, Philadelphia, have been made by the authorities of Annapolis and West Point. The definite offer has been made to the authorities of the University of Pennsylvania that the game will be played there next year if 7,700 tickets are given to each of the institutions. This is the number allowed by Princeton and the number allowed in former years by Pennsylvania was 6,300. If the offer is not accepted the game will be played on one of the Philadelphia baseball grounds.

Brushton Downs National.

Brushton defeated the Nationals in the Duquesne Amateur league last night, 4 to 0. The lineup:

Brushton—		Nationals—	
Conley	G	Campbell	
Gazzani			
(Entemiller)	F	Q. Riley	
Kelly	C. F.	Ford	
Blakeney	C	Myers	
Stillman	F	Boyle	
Garber	L. W.	Colton	
Dunlap	R. W.	Kuhn	

Goals—Blakeney 2, Garber, Dunlap. Time—15 and 20-minute halves. Referee—Martin.

SCHEDULE FOR TONIGHT

Pittsburgh section—Bloomfield vs. Ton Dus; on Friendship alleys; Glenwood vs. Great Eastern, on Glenwood alleys.

Allegheny section—Crescents vs. North Sides, on Federal alleys; Millvale vs. Independents, on Stiffle's alleys.

Monongahela section—Munhall vs. McKeesport, at Homestead.

South Pittsburgh league—Y. M. I. vs. Senators on Southern alleys.

Central league—On Club alleys.

Diocesan league—St. Charles vs. St. Anthony; St. Joseph vs. St. Henry.

Liberty Valley league—Meadows vs. Highlands, on Penn avenue alleys.

POULTRY SHOW IS PASSED.

No Suitable Place for Holding February Exhibition Could Be Found.

At a meeting of the Pittsburgh Fanciers' club, held Tuesday night, it was decided to pass the annual show this year. The reason for not holding the usual February event is that no suitable place is available since the destruction of Old City hall.

President G. W. Moore said that the number of entries had so increased since the first show nine years ago that for two years it was necessary to refuse entries. The club has already received 175 applications for premium lists. In order to accommodate the expected large number of entries 180 new coops had been ordered.

Freshmen Team Suspended.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—The faculty athletic committee of Washington and Jefferson college today suspended from competition in interclass league games the freshman team. This step was taken as a result of the failure of the team to secure permission to play the team of Beaver college last Saturday as a college representative athletic team. A rule of the Washington and Jefferson Athletic association prohibits athletic teams from competing as representatives of bodies without faculty permission. The suspension is for the remainder of the year.

Pastimes Beaten Badly.

D. L. & G. W.—58.		Pastimes—5.	
I. Lawrence	F	Mackeral	
C. Lawrence (Snyder)	F	Cook	
Flaherty	C	Dobbins	
Anderson (Curtin)	G	Cullison	
Earle		Babbin	

Field goals—J. Lawrence 9, Earle 10, Flaherty 7, Anderson, Cook, Barbin. Foul goals—Snyder 2, Flaherty, Cullison. Referee—Conley. Timekeeper—McGuire.

St. Augustine Team Wins Close Game.

The St. Augustine pool team defeated Hess' Colts by a score of 100 to 69 on the Great Eastern tables. Score:

St. Augustines—		Hess' Colts—	
T. Hall	33	F. Skonetzni	29
A. Skonetzni	39	J. Eichler	21
J. Reisinger	48	E. Burton	28
Total	111	Total	78

Scratches—St. Augustine 11, Colts 9.

Gunther and Blackburn Matched.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—George Gunther of this city and Joe Blackburn of Philadelphia will meet here in a 10-round fight at the opera house Wednesday evening, January 31. There will be at least two preliminary bouts. Gunther and Blackburn will weigh in at the ringside at 145 pounds.

Arsenal Loses to Bedford.

Bedford—13.		Arsenal—4.	
Jones	F	Pernell	
Tyler	F	Keating	
Gwyer	C	McLean	
Keller	G	Hadzor	
Wood	G	Ford	

Field goals—Jones 5, Gwyer 2, Keating 2. Foul goals—Jones 3.

Heyden May Coach W. & J.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Manager Stockton of the Washington and Jefferson college baseball team, announced today that he had almost closed negotiations with "Jack" Heyden, the crack outfielder of the York team of the Tri-State league team, to coach the local college nine the coming season.

McCoy Is the Star.

MEADVILLE, PA., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—The Franklin Y. M. C. A. team met defeat at the hands of the Americus five in Library hall this evening, 30 to 13. The bright star of the evening was McCoy, the forward of the visitors, who threw eight baskets out of a total of nine made by Franklin.

Team Shoot at Sewickley.

The Millvale and Sewickley Valley Gun club will shoot a match at clay pigeons in Sewickley on Saturday afternoon. The teams will contain five men each and a supper at the Henry hotel at the expense of the losers will follow.

EAST LIBERTY IS DEFEATED BADLY

Pittsburgh High School Breaks Record for League by Winning the Game.

GORDER SECURES SIX GOALS

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.				
Pittsburgh H. S.	4	0	0	1.000
Wilkinsburg H. S.	1	1	0	.500
East Liberty Academy	0	2	0	.000
Shadyside Academy	0	2	1	.000
Pittsburgh College Preps	0	0	1	.000

The Pittsburgh High school seven, by beating East Liberty academy yesterday afternoon at Duquesne garden, 13 to 6, shot the greatest number of goals for one championship game in recent years.

Forty-five seconds after the face-off, Capt. Bright shot goal on a pass from Van Gorder, and thereafter it was an easy thing for the champions to score. Six goals were shot in the first period, and in this half East Liberty did not have a shot at the High school net. The playing was always around the East Liberty cage, and the puck never got to the point, as Haggerty always broke up the plays.

East Liberty, however, in the second half played a better game, although High school shot seven goals. The blue and white players kept plugging away, nevertheless, but the team work of the High school team was par excellence. The forwards rushed the rubber along and always passed, none looking for individual glory.

Van Gorder led with goals, scoring six. Capt. Carter, McAllister and Smith played hard for East Liberty. The lineup:

Pittsburgh—13		East Liberty—6.	
Conrad	Goal	Farmer	
Marshall	Point	Isherwood	
Haggerty	Cover Point	Carter	
McKee	Forward	Laughlin	
Van Gorder	Center	Campbell	
Robinson	Left Wing	Smith	
Bright	Right Wing	McAllister	

Goals—First half—Van Gorder 3, Bright 2, McKee. Second half—Van Gorder 3, Robinson 2, Bright. Referee—Clarence Overend. Goal judges—Hammer and Thoundhurst. Timers—Babst and Patterson.

CALUMET, MICH., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—In the International Hockey league Pittsburgh defeated Calumet tonight 3 to 2. The first half ended 2 to 0, Baird scored Pittsburgh's first goal on a long lift. Roberts scored the next on a pass from Stuart. Campbell scored the winning goal for Pittsburgh after 20 minutes' play in the second half on a pass from Stuart. The game was remarkably clean. Line-up:

Pittsburgh—3		Calumet—2.	
Winchester	G	Nicholson	
Baird	P	Shields	
Stuart	C. P.	Beaudille	
A. Sixsmith	F	Decorie	
Campbell 2	C	Strike	
Kent	R. W.	Scott	
Roberts	L. W.	Gardner	

Referee—Gibson. Attendance 750.

Tamaqua Beats South Side.

The Tamaqua five of Philadelphia beat the champion South Side team last night, 50 to 23. The line-up:

South Side—23.		Tamaqua—50.	
Liebau	F	Bailey	
Leithead	F	O'Donnell	
Nickel	C	Mulliner	
Windeknecht	G	Wilson	
Seibel	G	Hough	

Field goals—Hough 10, Bailey 7, O'Donnell 5, Nickel 3, Windeknecht 3, Liebau. Goals from foul—Hough 8, Liebau 2. Substitutions—Koch for Leithead, Anderson for Seibel. Referee—Ike Little.

Bob and Julia Buy Handsome Farm.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—"Bob" Fitzsimmons and his wife have bought a farm at West Dunellen, N. J., and paid down cash on the nail for it. The farm was formerly the truly rural home of United States Senator Dryden of New Jersey and Gibraltar, who spent more than $60,000 in improving it. The price Fitzsimmons paid was not made public.

Regal Shoes — $3.50
Special Custom Bench Made, $4.00.
Send for stylebook. 439 Smithfield st.

OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 24, 1906.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND BINDERS

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, January 31, 1906, for printing, binding and furnishing the following:

822 Treasurer's receipt books.
704 Collectors' receipt books.
212 Collectors' tax books.
224 Lost tax books.
15,000 statement blanks (more or less).
21 Balance books.
7 Liquor license receipt books.
22 Mercantile license receipt books.

All as per sample furnished by the county treasurer as to design and quality of paper. Samples and specifications on file in the county treasurer's office, where all information relating thereto will be furnished on demand.

Each bid to be accompanied by bond with two sureties or trust company in double the amount of bid. Said bond to cover contract of successful bidder.

Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

F. P. BOOTH,
County Controller.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 25, 1906.

NOTICE TO INVESTORS.

Whereas, The county commissioners of the county of Allegheny have resolved to issue bonds of the county for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways, etc., said loan to be in the sum of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the county controller aforesaid until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, February 1, 1906, for the purchase of coupon bonds of said county, as aforesaid, to the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand ($750,000.00) dollars, to be issued in accordance with the act of assembly approved April 11, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and five, entitled: "An act amending an act authorizing the county commissioners to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of building, improving and repairing public roads and highways in their respective counties," etc. Said bonds to be of the denomination of one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and payable thirty (30) years from the date hereof.

Address proposals to county commissioners of Allegheny county, marked "Proposals for Bonds."

A bond with approved security, or certified check to the order of the county commissioners of the county of Allegheny, to the amount of ten thousand ($10,000.00) dollars, must accompany each proposal to guarantee purchase of bonds if awarded. Any further information respecting the same can be obtained at the office of the county commissioners, Allegheny county, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

F. P. BOOTH,
County Controller.

MINERS READY TO MEET OPERATORS

Conference Gathers This Morning, Convention Adjourns, but May Be Recalled.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Jan. 24.—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America in its closing session today heard the final report of the committee on constitution and discussed proposed minor changes by sections. Several slight changes in the working cards were made. The convention instructed its delegates to the international congress to work for definite and practical arrangements regarding transfer cards.

The race question was up. The negro delegates wished an amendment providing that in the districts where they are in large numbers representation be given them in the district offices and boards. The amendment was lost.

The convention refused to create the separate office of treasurer. A secretary-treasurer will be elected.

The joint conference with the operators will begin tomorrow. E. L. Robbins of Pittsburgh, who usually presents the demands of the operators, arrived today. Fifteen more operators from Western Pennsylvania came in this forenoon. Mr. Robbins refused to make a statement. He said he would not join the new national organiation of the bituminous operators to prevent stampede strikes.

"We want to attend to these matters in Western Pennsylvania on our own hook," he said. "That is the reason I did not attend the Chicago conference."

The operators will meet tomorrow morning to formulate their demands. Operators of Indiana, Ohio, Illinois and Western Pennsylvania are united against admitting the outlying states. This is the first demand the miners will make.

Before the adjournment of the convention President Mitchell announced that all delegates would remain in the city until after the first day's conference, as the members would be called in convention again in case the operators refuse to admit the outlying districts.

MADE MISS HALL WEEP.

Ohio Legislators Handle "Osterization" Without Gloves in Debate at Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—The "Osterization" bill, introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Hunt, at the request of Miss Anna Hall of Cincinnati, has led to some caustic talk and to some sharp colloquies between Miss Hall and various representatives. In a number of these Miss Hall wept, some of the representatives having offended her by their bitter comments. Miss Hall is here to lobby for the measure, which provides for permission to remove by chloroform or otherwise any person whose life might be despaired of by competent physicians, if such person be suffering pain.

Miss Hall is making an effort to see every member of the house, but, particularly the 29 who voted to reject the bill. Miss Hall says physicians will appear with her before the committee and advocate the measure. Representative Hunt would not have it so designated had he been fully aware of its merits.

NOTES OF NEARBY TOWNS.

CUMBERLAND.—H. K. Miller, aged 27, a Baltimore & Ohio brakeman, fell under his train in the yards here and was killed. He was married.

NEW MARTINSVILLE.—As a result of the warm wave Sunday wasps broke up the religious services at the Methodist Episcopal church in Van Camp. The minister in attempting to drive them from the building was severely stung.

As a result of the Sunday night escapade at Beaver college, President Arthur Staples has had six warrants sworn out for young men who are charged with entering the college building.

DARLINGTON.—John Butts of Daugherty township, an alleged incendiary, was taken to the Beaver jail, charged by John R. Berchtold with an attempt to burn his house.

YOUNGSTOWN.—The police are looking up an alleged "black hand" operation in the city, which a woman reported to a hypnotist instead of the police. She received threatening letters demanding $350.

UNIONTOWN.—Enoch Brooks of Washington township, Greene county, has sold 156 acres of coal to Uniontown parties at $100 an acre. Mrs. Hester Martin, sister of Mr.

SOCIETY

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INVITATIONS were sent out yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. James Cornelius Gormley for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Louise Gormley, to Paul H. Mueller, the ceremony to be performed in the Roman Catholic Church of the Sacred Heart at 9:30 o'clock on the morning of Wednesday, February 7. The Rev. Father Francis Keane will officiate, and Miss Gormley will have Mrs. Frank Connelly Rodgers as matron of honor; Miss Louise, a sister of the bridegroom, as maid of honor, and Miss Annabelle Painter and Miss Blanche McBride as bridesmaids. John Mueller will serve as best man for the bridegroom, and the party will be completed by the ushers, Dr. William McKenna, Albert Hill and John Straley, Jr. A small wedding breakfast will be given at the residence of the bride's parents in Stratford avenue, following the church ceremony, and in the evening a large reception will be held. Days after June 1, in Walnut street, East End, have been announced as at-homes by the bridal couple. Mrs. Rodgers, the honor matron, will be among those to entertain for Miss Gormley prior to her marriage, she having planned a card party at her Craig street home on Saturday afternoon. On Saturday of next week Miss Painter will give a bridesmaids' luncheon at her home in Stratford avenue.

Indian Euchre Club Entertained.

The annual masquerade ball of the Indian Euchre club of Allegheny was held last night in Cyclorama hall, Beech avenue. The club was organized 12 years ago. The club membership consists of 10 married men and their wives and cannot be increased. All were at the ball last night in costume, as were more than 100 invited guests. It is the custom that each year one couple in the club entertain, and this year the honors were done by Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Kirchler. All of the costumes were pretty and many were very unique. Those in the club are: Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sauer, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Luther, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Kirchler, Mr. and Mrs. Ross W. Black, Mr and Mrs George Pool, Mr. and Mrs. John Sauers, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. William Horrock.

Married in New Home.

In their new home in Lang avenue, Homewood, Miss Ethel May Ayers and Charles G. Stricker will be married at 8 o'clock this evening. The Rev. Dr. John Weidley, pastor of Bethany Lutheran church, will perform the ceremony, the bride being given away by her father, John Edward Ayers. Miss Bertha Wesley and Frank Baldey, as maid of honor and best man, will be the only attendants, and Mrs. George Gilbert Sharpless, a sister of the bride-elect, will play the wedding march. Mr. Stricker and his bride will not take a wedding trip. They have announced days at home after January 30.

Guests Play Five Hundred.

Five hundred was the game played at Miss Merle Wachob's card party yesterday afternoon. Miss Wachob entertained in the Brighton Country club in honor of Miss Edith Lang, a bride- elect of next month. Seven tables were brought into use, the guests including the members of a fancy work club to which Miss Lang and Miss Wachob belong, together with a few other friends of the hostess and her honor guest. The prizes yesterday were won by Mrs. William F. Lang, Miss Mary Ferguson and Miss Edna Geyer.

Affairs for the Debutantes.

Mrs. William B. Boggess and Miss Anna Macbeth will assist their mother, Mrs. George A. Macbeth, at the buffet breakfast which the latter will give from 12 until 2 o'clock this afternoon at her home in Amberson avenue. Miss Katherine Reed, a debutante of the season, is the guest of honor.

Twelve tables will be in play this afternoon at the bridge party with which Mrs. Robert Wilson Patterson will entertain. It is in honor of Miss Helen G. Ayers, the debutante daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Ayers.

Mrs. Small to Entertain.

Mrs. Edward Hanna Small has chosen Thursday afternoon, February 1, as the date for a card party which she will give at her home at North Negley and Penn avenues, East End. The honors will be shared by Mrs. Robert Tindle McElroy, a cousin of the hostess, and Miss Culbertson of Lewistown, Pa., who is visiting Mrs. Small's sister, Miss Alice Wood Tindle. Both bridge and hearts will be played during the afternoon. Two o'clock is the hour given on the invitations.

Three Cotillion Figures.

Three cotillion figures will be led at the dance which Henry T. Irwin and his daughter, Miss Marjorie Irwin, will give in the Allegheny Country club tomorrow evening. The dance is given for Miss Elizabeth Irwin, who will make her formal debut on that occasion. Mrs. Henry Irwin, Jr., and Mrs. Louis Irwin will receive with Mr. Irwin and his two daughters, and Mrs. William P. Snyder, Mrs. L. Hasley Williams and Mrs. George Hubbard Clapp will assist in distributing the favors.

The Herons Going Abroad.

Miss John Brown Heron and her eldest daughter, Miss Martha Heron, will leave for New York next Thursday, and will sail the following Saturday for Europe. They have engaged passage on the Finland, and will go directly to Paris, where they will join Miss Elizabeth Heron, who has been studying in the French capital since last fall. Mrs. Heron and her daughters will not return to Pittsburgh until next summer.

Dilworths in Bakewell House.

Lawrence Dilworth and his family, whose residence in Shady avenue was recently damaged by fire, have taken the Thomas H. Bakewell residence in Fifth avenue for the winter, Mr. and Mrs. Bakewell having gone to New York for the remainder of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Russell K. Forsyth and their children, who make their home with Mr. Dilworth, Mrs. Forsyth's father, will be with him in the new home.

To Give Alumni Concert.

The alumni of the Martin school will give a concert in the school auditorium, Liberty avenue and Fifth street, this evening. Those who will give the program are Miss Esther Lloyd, the Amphion quartet, Miss Louise Schmitt, Howard Boas, Joseph A. Jenkins, Miss Katherine Allen, Miss Blanche Richards, A. S. Cowperthwaite and F. T. Neely.

Bride-Elect in Tyrone.

Mrs. S. W. Vandersaal and her daughter, Miss Carolyn E. Vandersaal of South Highland avenue, are spending a fortnight with friends in Tyrone. Miss Vandersaal's engagement to Frank Vincent Eaton, which was announced a short time ago, will terminate in their wedding early in June.

Engagement Is Announced.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Mrs. Edna Stauffer Rumbaugh, daughter of Mrs. Emma R. Stauffer of Mt. Pleasant to Dr. Jesse S. Muller of the same place. The wedding will be an event of the latter part of next month.

Bridge Party in Allegheny.

Mrs. Louis Irwin of Western avenue, Allegheny, will be among the hostesses of next week. A bridge party will be given by Mrs. Irwin at her home on the North Side next Monday afternoon.

Notes of People and Events.

Mrs. J. H. McKenney of Millvale avenue entertained her card club yesterday afternoon. Five hundred was the game played.

THE CLUBS

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Ten Commandments in School.

The ten commandments as a basis for the religious exercises in the public schools in place of the Lord's prayer was suggested yesterday by Miss Nannie G. Barclay. Miss Barclay spoke before the New Era club on "Teaching Morality in Our Schools." She has been an educator and from her experience in teaching and association with teachers spoke for a deeper and more conscientious teaching on the part of the instructors. She made much of the religious element introduced into the opening morning exercises, and in this connection proposed the acceptance of the ten commandments as the basis for this work. "There is a cry of sectarianism on the part of many people as soon as the Lord's prayer is offered in the public schools, and to obviate this, but in no sense to do away with the devotional character of the exercises, Miss Barclay suggested the ten commandments as the only scriptic utterances of God the Father, in the Bible. The idea was a new one to most people present, and in the discussion which followed the close of the meeting they heartily indorsed it.

Miss Barclay lays responsibility for the characteristics of the public school children with the parents, saying that until better morals are inculcated in the home the children cannot be expected to profit much by better examples in the school room. She scored dishonest parents for teaching their children to lie, and told a story of a boy who had been arrested for some misdemeanor. During his imprisonment a visitor asked him what he was being taught in prison and he replied: "To put paper soles on shoes." Miss Barclay divided the period of childhood into three parts—the baptismal age, the railroad age, when the child rides free, and later when he pays fare, and the working age, when he is permitted by law to go to work. The meeting yesterday was devoted to a discussion of education. Mrs. William J. Askin read a paper on "The American School as a Civilizer of Our Colonies," and compared the English and the American methods in the treatment of the colonies, the English increasing the resources of their possessions without thought of the elevation of the natives, the Americans starting in at once to educate and civilize the people through the introduction of the free school system. The American method emphasizes the dignity of labor and encouraged a spirit of self-reliance among the people. Mrs. J. R. Pitzer was the leader for the day, opening a discussion on the Horace Mann school, which resulted in an almost unanimous expression of indorsement of co-educational schools as far as the public schools, high schools, colleges and universities are concerned, but advocating separate college preparatory schools for the girls and boys. Whether men or women are the better instructors of children was commented on.

The president, Mrs. James R. Kibler, appointed three new members of the program committee, Mrs. F. Ne Taylor, Mrs. J. J. Kennedy and Mrs. J. R. Pitzr. These women will serve this year and next. The members retained from the committe of a year ago are Mrs. George F. Brown and Mrs. Richard Morrison. Five new members were elected yesterday, making an active membership of about 140. The new members are Miss Bertha Stewart, Miss Marie V. Miller, Mrs. W. F. Fulton, Mrs. George H. Stengel and Mrs. William J. Martin. Miss Romaine Clarke has asked that the next meeting of the club, on February 14, be held in her home in Crafton.

Will Broaden Its Scope.

The Art Students league aims to increase its influence and broaden its scope before the commencement of another year. This will mean the introduction of several new features into the courses of study which are already pursued in the Clarke studio in Emily street, near Craft avenue, Oakland. It is possible these will all be combined under one general head, the portraiture and life classes remaining as now under the supervision of Martin Borgard, who is the league's critic. The first step in the carrying out of its plans is the tearing out of one end of the studio building and inserting glass, thus giving one whole side for the admission of light, according to most approved studio plans. The benefit matinee held yesterday afternoon in the Nixon theater was given for the purpose of increasing the funds at the disposal of the league for the carrying out of these new plans. It was a decided success in every way, and last evening the president, Mrs. Oscar A. Rogers, announced that the league will net $1,500 at present, and that more is expected when the final reports are in. The theater programs yesterday were very artistic. The cover design of wisteria was the work of J. E. L. bourgeur, the instructor of the classes in black and white at the league studio, while all of the illustrations, with the exception of those used in connection with the advertisements, were the work of the students in wood carving and design. The league made about $400 from the program alone.

Vocal Music for Settlement Children.

Miss Jeannette Eaton, the chairman of the education department of the permanent civic committee, has issued a letter to the local club women calling their attention to the efforts which the department is putting forth. She urges the free teaching of vocal music to the children in the settlement districts, calls attention to the plan for medical inspection which is being pushed by the education department of the Permanent Civic club of Allegheny county, and asks that efforts be made to secure plots of ground where the children, especially from the poorer sections of the city, may be encouraged to plant flower seeds and vegetables and tend them during the summer months.

State Chairman of Education Writes.

A letter has been received by Pittsburgh clubs from Mrs. Edward W. Biddle of Carlisle, chairman of the committee on education of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women. Mrs. Biddle asks that the club women help secure the introduction of the free kindergarten into every ward school, and that they work for the incorporation of manual training into the regular public school curriculum.

Will Offer Thirty Prizes.

The entertainment committee of the Winodausis club has secured 30 handsome prizes for the benefit card party which it will give for the newsboys February 2 in the Elks' club house, Fifth avenue and Jumonville street. Among them are a box at the Belasco theater, a box at the Grand Opera House, a set of cut glass, a number of silver pieces, a jewel case and other useful and ornamental articles.

Invitations for Housewarming.

Invitations have been issued by the board of managers for the formal opening of the new Kingsley house, which will take place on Tuesday afternoon and evening, January 30, from 2 until 5 and from 7:30 until 10 o'clock. The enlarged Kingsley house stands at Bedford avenue and Fulton street, and may be reached by a Wylie and Bedford avenue car.

Appoints the Delegates.

Mrs. James R. Kibler, president of the New Era club, yesterday appointed the delegates from that club to the joint committee of women's clubs for summer playgrounds and vacation schools in Allegheny. They include Mrs. Robert J. Cleland and Mrs. W. R. Evans. Only one alternate was appointed, Mrs. J. F. Stevenson, but the others will be named in a few days.

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At the Nixon Lew Fields and his admirable company of funmakers will be seen in "It Happened in Nordland," with music by Victor Herbert. This merry piece ran for many months in New York, and is said to be the best medium Mr. Fields has ever had for the display of his genial wit.

The "Sultan of Sulu," which comes to the Alvin next week, deals in a whimsical and satirical vein with certain imaginary events supposed to happen in the Philippines during the American invasion. Mirth and melody is the keynote to this comic opera success, and from all accounts the entertainment is witty, dainty, provocative of laughter, and especially diverting to all classes.

Plays of rural village life have been numerous in recent seasons, and have had varying success, the best of them achieving wide and sustained popularity. It is claimed for "York State Folks" that the verdict of the critics has never been more unanimous than in the case of Arthur Sidman's charming pastoral play, makes its initial appearance in Pittsburgh at the Empire theater next week, with the original cast.

Valerie Bergere and company are to present a condensed version of "Carmen" at the Grand next week. Although done into one act, the complete story of the coquettish cigaret girl's tragic romance is told. Tate's travesty on automobiling, illustrating the trials of a touring party in the country, will be found amusing. It is called "Motoring." The Spook minstrels with 15 acts complete the bill.

Roble's big show, "Knickerbocker Burlesquers," with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, champion of the world, will be seen at the Gayety next week, in the second edition of that bright and dainty two-act musical farce, "Reilly's Speech." The new version is reported to be filled with ludicrous situations, witty sayings and new and original music.

Among the many high-class acts to be seen at the Academy next week with "The Tiger Lilies," will be included the latest European sensation, "Circle of Death." This death-defying scene is pronounced to be the very acme of sensationalism. The rider is enclosed in a circular cage with a den of lions, within a few feet of their heads.

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CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
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Cleveland "Flyer"	*7:15 am	*6:30 pm
Cleveland & Youngstown Ex	*8:15 am	*5:00 pm
Buffalo Limited	*9:00 am	*2:00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit	*12:35 pm	*8:35 pm
Cleveland & Chautauqua	*3:00 am	*12:15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	†3:05 pm	†6:55 pm
Lake Chautauqua, Fast Line	*12:25 pm	*6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	*5:00 pm	*10:00 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex	*5:50 pm	*12:15 pm
Boston Special	*5:00 pm	*2:05 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	*6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	*6:15 pm	*6:35 am
Buffalo Express	*10:00 pm	*8:35 am
Cleveland Night Express	*1:00 pm	*6:35 am
Youngstown Local	†8:30 am	†9:00 am
Beaver Falls Local	†9:46 am	†5:30 pm
Beaver Falls Local	†3:30 pm	†8:20 pm
Beaver Falls Local	†3:30 pm	†12:10 pm
New Castle Local	†11:55 am	†4:15 pm
New Castle Express	†4:50 pm	†7:30 pm
New Castle Express	†9:30 am	†1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	†5:25 pm	†8:30 am
Beaver Valley Local	†9:00 pm	†6:45 am
Brownsville Local	†6:10 am	†7:00 am
Brownsville & N. Haven Ex	†8:00 am	†10:50 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	†11:30 am	†11:45 am
Brownsville & New Haven	†3:30 pm	†4:50 pm
Brownsville Express	†5:20 pm	†6:05 pm
Brownsville Express	†10:30 pm	†1:50 pm

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ST. LOUIS *1:50 am *4:50 am *8 am *8 pm *8:35 pm *2:46 pm.
CLEVELAND *2:35 am *6:40 am *7:30 am *8 am 12 pm *1:30 pm *5 pm *11 pm.
INDIANAPOLIS *1:50 am *6:40 am *8 am *8 pm *8:35 pm *8:45 pm.
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LOUISVILLE *4:50 am *8 pm *8:35 pm *8:45 pm.
COLUMBUS *1:30 am *4:50 am *8 am *10:30 pm *5 pm *5:35 pm *3:45 pm.
TOLEDO AND DETROIT *11:50 am *8:50 pm.
ERIE †7:55 am †4:50 pm †6:50 pm.
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AKRON *8:15 am *6:40 am *7:50 am *8 am, *5 pm *11 pm.
BARBERTON *6:40 am *7:50 pm *8 am.
WHEELING *6:50 am *8:30 am *11:50 am *5:35 pm *7 pm.
MERCER and OIL CITY *7:55 am *4:50 pm.
BELLAIRE *8:45 am *8:05 am *1 pm *6:05 pm 12:52 am *5:10 pm.
ALLIANCE *6:40 am *8 am *1:05 pm *4:55 pm *6 pm.
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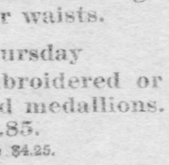

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Toledo, St. L., Kansas City	*6:00 am	6:00 pm
Wheeling Express	*7:40 am	7:05 pm
St. L. Chicago, Kansas City	*9:30 pm	7:25 am

HEAVY DEMAND IS CONTINUED

Iron and Steel Trade Is Still Enjoying the Most Prosperous Conditions.

METAL SUPPLY IS TAKEN UP

The buying movement in the iron and steel market was continued during the past week with all the activity that has characterized the trade during the past few months. The demand for pig iron has been large. Sales during the past week have taken up all the available supply for second quarter delivery, while first quarter delivery iron has been oversold. Such Bessemer iron as may be procured at this time for second quarter delivery is being held at $17.75 to $18.00, valley, but the principal interests have disposed of all their product for the first half of the year. What effect the heavy demand will have upon third quarter delivery prices has not been disclosed as yet, though it is known that the principal interests are anxious to hold prices down to a reasonable level, rather than encourage a reaction by making a material advance in selling prices of metal.

In the finished lines, without exception, the demand remains very good, while the remarkable weather conditions at this season have done much to aid both the mills and the consumers. Structural steel continues in special demand and weather conditions have resulted in making it comparatively easy the delivery of steel which, it was expected, would not be ready for acceptance before spring. The weather has also done much toward assisting the mills in keeping up within reasonable distance of their orders, because freight movement has been such as to permit ready shipment and fairly good delivery in and out of the mills. This is particularly true of coke, and it is said that every coke oven in the Connellsville region has been in operation continuously this season, and that the open weather has insured immediate movement of the product. For this reason prices on coke have been a little weak at quotations, but a much stronger market is expected as soon as seasonable weather appears. The weather conditions have also encouraged the railroads to gather up scrap with the same results as usually obtain during the summer.

Current Quotations.

Pig Iron—Bessemer, valley, $17.60@17.75; Bessemer, Pittsburgh, $18.45@18.60; No. 1 foundry, $18.00@18.95; No. 2 foundry, $18.25@18.45; gray forge, $17.10@17.60; basic, Pittsburgh, $18.20@18.45.

Billets—Bessemer, $27.00@27.50.

Muck bar—$30.00@32.00, Pittsburgh.

Steel rails—Standard sections, 50 pounds and heavier, $28.00; angles and fastenings, less than 500 tons, $30.00; light rails, 16 pounds, $30.00; 20 pounds, $28.50@29.00; 25 to 45 pounds, $28.00.

Structural steel—Beams and channels, 15-inch and under, $1.70; over 15 inches, $1.80; zees, $1.70; angles, from 3 to 8 inches, $1.70; universal and sheared plates, 6¼-inch and wider, $1.60 base.

Plates—Tank plate, ¼-inch thick, 8¼-inch to 100 inches, $1.60 f. o. b. mill, Pittsburgh; extras as follows the 100 pounds: flange and boiler steel, 10c; marine A. B. M. A. and ordinary firebox, 20c; still bottom, 30c; locomotive firebox, 50c; plates, 100 to 110 inches in width, not less than 5c extra; plates, 110 to 115 inches wide not less than 10c extra; 115 to 120 inches, not less than 15 cents extra; 120 to 125 inches wide, not less than 25c extra; 125 to 130 inches wide, not less than 50c extra; 130 inches wide, not less than 75c extra; plates, 2-16-inch thick, 10c extra; gauge 7 and 8, 15c extra; No. 9, 25c extra. Five cents extra for lots less than carloads.

Bars—Iron, $2.05, Pittsburgh; hoops, $1.85, less than carloads, $1.95; bands, $1.50; Bessemer steel bars, $1.50; open-hearth steel bars, $1.50; plow and cultivator, $1.60 net; channels, angles, zees and tees, under 3 inches, $1.80.

Wire—Wire nails, jobbers' carload lots, $1.90; less than carloads, $2.00; painted barbed wire, jobbers' carload lots, $2.00; retailers' carloads, $2.05; less than carloads, $2.15, with 30c for galvanized; plain wire, $1.70 to jobbers and $1.75 to carload buyers; annealed, smooth fence wire, $1.70; iron and steel cut nails, $1.80 @1.85.

Merchant steel—Cold rolled and ground shafting, 50 per cent off in carload lots; 45 per cent off in less than carload lots, delivered in base territory; tire steel, 1.70@1.80c; open-hearth spring steel, 2.25@2.50c; sleigh shoe flat, 1.50@1.55c; smooth finished machinery steel, 1.90@2.00; toe calk, 2.60@2.80c.

Sheets—The following prices are for 500-bundle lots and over, f. o. b. mill:

Gauge—	Black. Net.	Galvanized. List.
26	$2.80	$4.30 21
28	2.45	3.70 19
28	2.50	3.45 17
27	2.50	3.25 16
25-6	2.45	3.05 15
23-4	2.40	2.85 14
18-20	2.45	2.70 12
16	2.30	2.65 12½

Ferro-manganese—Foreign, 50 per cent, $80.00. Pittsburgh, in carload lots.

Skelp—Grooved steel skelp, $1.55, and sheared, $1.55.

Merchant pipe—The Pittsburgh basing discounts to jobbers on merchant pipe follow:

Wrought pipe, jobbers' carlots, merchant weight:	Steel. Blk.	Galv.	Iron. Blk.	Galv.
⅛ to ¼-inch	71	55	69½	55½
⅜ to ½-inch	75	62	73½	61½
⅝ to 6-inch	79	69	78	68
7 to 12-inch	74	59	73	57½
EXTRA STRONG PLAIN ENDS.				
⅛ to ¾-inch	64	52	62½	50½
⅞ to 4-inch	71	59	69½	57½
4½ to 8-inch	67	55	65½	53½

Merchant boiler tubes, carlots:

	Steel.	Iron.
1 to 1½-inch	44	41
1¾ to 2¼	56	41
2½-inch	58	46
2¾ to 3-inch	64	53
6 to 12-inch	56	41

3½-inch and larger, over 18 feet long, 10 per cent net extra.

2½-inch and larger, over 23 feet long, 10 per cent net extra.

Scrap—Gross tons, Pittsburgh market: No. 1 heavy steel, $18.00; No. 1 wrought scrap, $22.00; No. 1 cast scrap, $15.50@16.00; old car wheels, $17.50@18.00; rerolling rails, $18.25; wrought iron piling scrap, $20.00; standard iron car axles, $28.50; standard railroad steel car axles, $28.50; steel axle turnings, $16.50; machine shop turnings, $14.75; old standard section iron rails, $22.50; new bundled sheets, $15.50; clean cast iron borings, $13.50; railroad leaf spring steel scrap, $13.50; burnt cast scrap, $13.00; low phosphorus and sulphur melting steel scrap, $20.50; low phosphorus steel punchings, $19.00.

The Hardware Market.

Orders for hardware continue to come in in increasing numbers, and for increasing quantities, salesmen reporting a very good condition of affairs as far as general business is concerned. The demand seems to cover practically all lines, and is for good quantities which the orders indicate. Nails and wire continue to move out in very large quantities, taxing the mills to the utmost capacity. The window glass business seems to be in a constantly improving condition, due to the feeling that a better state of affairs will prevail in the near future. Prices are stronger and indications are that they may be a little higher. Season goods continue to move out in good shape, the demand being excellent for poultry wire, screen goods, freezers, refrigerators and goods of like kind. Prices in general lines are firm.

The Bindley Hardware Company furnishes the following quotations: Columbia pocket knives, discount 35 per cent; Albion hatchets, discount 40 and 10 per cent; Bindley canal shovels, $6.50 a dozen; Great Western files, discount 70, 10 and 10 per cent; sheet iron, base, No. 26, $2.25 the 100 pounds; galvanized sheet iron, discount, 70 and 10 per cent; sash weights, the ton, $24.00; window glass, first three brackets, 90 and 10 per cent; above 90 and 20 per cent; Albion sewing machines, discount, 25 per cent; blue and white enameled, 40 per cent; Albion lanterns, 40 per cent; hay forks, 50 per cent.

Geyser Is Not Satisfied.

A motion for a new trial in the case of Norman H. Geyser, convicted of second degree murder for the killing of Mrs. Martha S. Kirkpatrick, will probably be made in criminal court today, as this is the last day a motion can be made. Attorney Marron says he will go into court, but has not consulted the family as to future actions in case a new trial is refused.

Building Materials Exhibition Opens.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon the Hall of Exhibits, the permanent exhibition of building materials to be conducted under the direction of the Builders' Exchange league in the Heeren building, Penn avenue and Eighth street, will be opened. Henry Hornbostel, architect of the Carnegie Technical schools, will talk on "Modern Construction."

To Talk on Discounts.

"Discounts" will be the subject of discussion and a paper will be read by H. F. Jacques at this evening's meeting of the Office Men's club in the rooms on the third floor of the Union National bank building.

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EAST LIBERTY CORNER IS SOLD

Cowan Lot at Broad and Sheridan Brings $25,000—Fourth Corner Sale There.

OUTER PENN AVENUE PROJECTS

John W. Sherrer has made another East Liberty deal, selling for John P. Cowan his property at the northeast corner of Broad street and Sheridan avenues for $25,000. This is at the rate of $694 a front foot for the Broad street frontage, as the lot measures 36x80 feet. It ext nds back to the Christ Lutheran church and is improved with a brick house which is rented for 60 a month. This locality enjoys a peculiar distinction just now, for during the past 10 weeks every one of the four corne s has changed hands, something that cannot be said of any other spot in the city. The G. M. Koser holdings brought $80,000, the A. Reimer property $48,000 and the T. B. Moreland lot brought $60,000. The buyer of the Cowan property is an East End investor.

Davies & Green have sold the new three-story store and flat building at the northwest corner of Lincoln and Deary avenues, Twenty-first ward. The property belonged to the Central Plumbing Company and the building, which stands on a 60-foot lot, has been finished but a short time. Neither the buyer nor the price could be learned last n ght.

C. E. Be son, secretary of the Pittsburgh Steel Company, is the buyer of the Linford Smith residence at 434 Morewood avenue, near Bayard street, Twentieth ward, the sale of which was announced in The Gaz te yesterday. The consideration was $30,000 and the lot is 50x150 feet.

Good Buildings for Penn Avenue.

The outer Penn avenue district is "looking up," as is shown by the projects of prominent business men to improve their holdings in that locality with first class buildings. Two more such projects inked out yesterday, and it is said that work on both will be started early in the spring. Bernard Goeckler contemplates improving his 50 feet at 1629-1631 Penn avenue with an eight-story store and warehouse building to extend back to Mulberry alley, a distance of 100 feet. This is the second eight-story block scheduled for outer Penn avenue this spring, the other one being that of M. Arnfeld & Sons near Eleventh street, which will cost at least $75,000.

Joseph W. Craig, the oil operator, who owns the block bounded by Twentieth and Pike streets and Mulberry and Bindley alleys, is planning. It is said, to improve the entire block, 190x120 feet, with a five-story br ck wa e house buildi g. This will be only a short distance from the best McKnight warehouses in Twenty-first street and the $55,000 building at James A. McAteer & Sons at Penn avenue and Twenty first str et. Mr. Craig also owns 50x120 feet at the southwest corner of Twenty-first and Pike str ets wh ch he may improve with a four or five-story building in the sp ing if his present plans carry. The Houston wholesale grocery building that is going up at Liberty avenue and Fifteenth street and two other large buildings that are scheduled for early erection in Penn avenue west of that street, with the structures mentioned, will give the di trict a lively appearance this spring.

May Mean a New Corner Block.

The purchase by John A. Staley of two of the Fleming lots at 410 Market street and 3 Diamond square for $135,000, noted in The Gazette yesterday, is taken to mean that a big block may be erected in this locality soon. It was stated in some quarters that Mr. Staley had bought the corner property occupied by the Fleming drug store, but it was the two lots adjoining on either side which he purchased. The corner lot, 20x57 feet, belongs to Mrs. Annie F. Richardson, and alone would cost probably fully as much as both the others, as she recently paid $127,500 for it. Mr. Staley bought the Fleming drug store business last year, and with the building occupied by it he would have 85 feet in Market street and 57 feet in Diamond square, one of the busiest corners in the city.

M. O. Coggins proposes to erect a four or five-story building to be used as a wholesale grocery house on the former Sutphen lot at the northwest corner of Third avenue and Redoubt alley, which he bought recently for $23,000. The lot measures 21.5x77 feet and the deal for its purchase was closed yesterday by Alyea & Irish.

George T. McDonald has sold for the Walker Place Land Company to local business men five lots, 40x115 feet each, in Manalon avenue, near California avenue, Walker Place, for $12,000. He also sold two lots, 38x120 feet each, in Termon avenue, near California avenue, for $4,400. Five of the sites will be improved at once with houses costing not less than $5,000 each. The same broker placed mortgages aggregating $15,500 on Walker Place properties.

Samuel J. and Charles H. Childs have bought from Alfred Schweiting an improved lot, 80x100 feet, on the east side of Robinson street, Fourteenth ward, for $18,000.

Hazelwood: The Hazelwood bank has sold to Frank Kohne 4812-6th Second avenue, near Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, 48x100 feet, for $3,500, as the site for a new business block.

Allegheny: L. A. Clark & Co. sold for Charles S. Folsom to Dr. W. S. McCreight a nine-room frame house on 25x110 feet in Maple avenue, Tenth ward, Allegheny, for $5,000.

Kincaid street: The Hood Realty Company, by its agent, Walter G. Fox, sold for D. M. Stanley to John G. Leiser an improved lot in Kincaid street, Nineteenth ward, for $2,000.

McKees Rocks: The Arunson Realty Company reports the sale to Mike Pusky of lots Nos. 78-76 in the Arco plan, Stowe township, for $3,800. The lots are 34x100 feet in Wood street, and a brick house in Conklin street was traded for them.

Promenade street: Elisabeth J. Beal sold to Joseph A. Little 30x100 feet on the south side of Promenade street, Twenty-third ward, for $3,250, and to Albert Friedman a similar lot in the same street for $3,250.

The following building permits were issued yesterday: Herman Leichtman, two-story brick dwelling at 220 Oriselle street, Fourteenth ward, $6,000; Eighteenth ward school board, brick outbuilding for McCandless school house, Butler and Fifty-third streets, $1,500; F. T. Over, two-story brick veneer store and dwelling, Lang avenue, Twenty-first ward, $4,100.

In the Oil Fields

The new wells in the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, W. Va., are declining rapidly, none making 100 or more barrels a day. On Lynn Camp run, the Cresco Oil and Gas Company has drilled its test on the C. L. Zingafoose farm through the Berea grit, and has a show for a 10 or 15-barrel producer. This test is located 600 feet east of M. G. Zinn & Co.'s test on the W. H. Sherwood farm, in the southwest extension of the Yellow Creek district, on the Little Kanawha river. The Federal Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the S. M. and N. T. McConaughey farm, and has a show for an 8 or 10-barrel pumper. This location is 4 00feet east of No. 3 on the same farm. In the Bens Run district, Pleasants county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the J. A. Wright farm through the Big Injun sand, and has a very light show of oil. It will not make better than a very light pumper. In the Burning Springs district, Wirt county, W. C. Edwards & Co. have drilled their No. 61 on the Bathbone oil tract through the second Cow Run sand, and to a depth of 648 feet, and have a duster. On the river front in Wood county, the Cory Oil Company has completed No. 16 on the T. Miller farm, and has a 3-barrel pumper in the Cow Run sand. On Moores Island, in the Ohio river, George L. Craig & Co. have completed ..o. 3 and have a duster.

On Long Drain run, Church district, Wetzel county, the Philadelphia Company's No. 1 on the William N. Tegarden farm, is producing 55 barrels a day. This is the fourth sand well that was drilled in a few days ago and made a big showing. In the Wallace district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the F. C. Dean farm four feet into the Gordon, and has not found the pay. It is still drilling. In the Salem district the same company has drilled its second test on the M. P. Brand farm through the stray, and has developed no oil or gas.

On Kinchlowe creek, Lewis county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the S. E. Hall farm through the fifth sand, and found nothing but a little increase in gas pressure. The same company has given its test on the G. C. McKinney farm a shot in the fifth sand, and it will make not better than a 5-barrel pumper.

In the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the South Penn Oil Company has tested its salt sand passer on the M. E. Camden farm, and it shows a rock pressure of 140 pounds. On Big run, McElroy district, Tyler county, the Tri-State Gas Company has a duster at its on the M. and J. McDonald farm. This is the deepest test on Big run. It was drilled to a depth of 3,800 feet and proved barren.

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1.58; Tiona, $1.61; Second Sand, $1.85; Cabell, $1.18; Corning, $1.10; New Castle, $1.25; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 82c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 85c; Ragland, 85c; Corsicana, 91c.

The Producers and Refiners' Company quotes $1.65 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, Jan. 24.—Credit balances, $1.58. Shipments, 104,916; average, 660,528; runs, 68,492; average, 61,227. Shipments, Lima, 55,817; average, 52,536; runs, 45,963; average, 39,891.

TOLEDO, Jan. 24.—Oil, North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

"QUONG HAI TOI": HAPPY NEW YEAR

Pittsburgh Chinamen Celebrate the First Day According to Ancient Calendar.

PAY DEBTS, MAKE CONTRACTS

"Quong Hai Toi."

This being translated means "Happy New Year," and everywhere in the Chinese settlement of Pittsburgh yesterday it was the popular expression. What the local Chinamen lacked in numbers was made up in enthusiasm, and all their energies were devoted to making it the event of the year.

Both inside and out, the stores and restaurants were decorated with dragons and other oriental figures. And with joss sticks burning, "tom-toms" beating and a feeling of good-will in the air, the visitor was soon aware of the celebration.

The entire day was spent in making New Year calls, and with a small red card on which was written the greetings of the visitor the Chinamen called on all his neighbors and friends during the day. As the Chinese custom forbids the eating of anything containing blood during this period, the feasting was confined to confections and cakes, and many sweets that would please the palates of the most fastidious Americans were on the tables in the Chinese reception rooms.

Yesterday was the day in which every Chinaman can look his brother in the face knowing that he owes him nothing, for Tuesday was the day on which all debts incurred during the year must be settled, and there are no exceptions to this rule.

But while the merchant and restaurant or laundry proprietor may spend the day without a cloud on his pleasure, the celestial who is an employe is not quite so free in mind. Today is the time for all manual contracts between employer and employe to be renewed. And this means that the employe is either retained at an increased salary or is discharged.

The local Chinese were assisted in their celebration by celestials from all parts of the surrounding territory, Pittsburgh being the center of the celebration for Western Pennsylvania. These added to the throng which went from house to house all day.

While the celebration only lasts one day for the poorer class of Chinamen, the merchants and those who are wealthier will continue it for 15 days, at the end of which a big dinner will be given, invitations being extended to all the neighbors of the host.

While the Chinese followed out the customs of their country in a large part, there was a noticeable absence in many places of the ceremonies attached to their religious belief. This is accounted for by the fact that many of the Chinese attend the Sunday schools which have been instituted for them by Protestant denominations. Many of the men and women who are prominent in this work called on their pupils yesterday and were received with cordial hospitality.

Last night was "lantern night," and lanterns were hung all around, making a very pretty scene. This is to signify prosperity and is an appeal for a continuance of success.

Most of the visiting Chinamen will return to their homes today, and while the celebration will be carried on for the allotted 15 days, it will be of a quieter nature.

Korean Legation Is Closed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Yun Chung Kim, who has represented Korea diplomatically at Washington, as secretary and charge since last June, called at the state department today to say farewell to the officials, thereby terminating the independent existence of the Korean legation in Washington. The records and property of the legation have been turned over to Mr. Hioka, the Japanese charge here, who will hereafter care for Korean interests in Washington.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 17.8 feet and the river was falling.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—River 24 feet; departures were, Courier for Mayaville, City of Louisville for Louisville, and Peters Lee for Memphis and Vicksburg; Boaz passed up with empties for Pittsburgh, and the Coal City down for the lower river with a tow from Pittsburgh.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; in canal, 8.9 feet; on falls, 6.7 feet; below locks, 24.6 feet.

WHEELING—River 29 feet 4 inches and rising; departed, Kanawha for Charleston, Bessie Smith for Pittsburgh.

EVANSVILLE—River 24.8 feet and rising.

GALLIPOLIS—River 32 feet and rising.

PARKERSBURG—River 16 feet and rising; the eBuford left for Wheeling and the Greenland for Pittsburgh.

CAIRO—River 23.1 feet; arrived, Charlette Boeckler, John H. Summers; departed, Red River for New Orleans, Katherine for Cincinnati.

STEUBENVILLE—River 22 feet 1½ inches and rising.

GREENSBORO—River 14 feet 10 inches and falling.

OIL CITY—River 7 feet 8 inches and falling.

WARREN—River 6 feet 8 inches and stationary.

MORGANTOWN—River 15 feet 6 inches and falling.

MARIETTA—River 15 feet 6 inches and rising; up, Lorena; down, Greenland.

New Meadville Oil Company.

DOVER, DEL., Jan. 24.—(Special.)—A certificate of incorporation was filed today for the Roumania Oil and Development Company of Meadville, Pa., to acquire, own and operate mines and wells, especially for the production of petroleum and the sale of the same. Incorporators, E. W. McArthur, J. D. Downing, Meadville, Pa.; Daniel Dull, Cambridge Springs, Pa. Capital stock, $500,000.

Mine Owner and Guests Killed.

OWENSBORO, KY., Jan. 24.—The Bellwood mines caved in today, instantly killing William Burnett, the proprietor and Edward Pierce and Herbert Waldon, his guests, who were inspecting the mines. There were no miners in the diggings.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL.

Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician, in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe that the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

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Have your new premises cleaned up by our experienced and reliable help. Estimates given.

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SAFETY AND SATISFACTION

Bonds are the safest and most satisfactory investment anyone can make. Everybody will admit that fact---no doubt you yourself have at one time or another felt that you would like to own a few, yet knew they were beyond your reach.

And that is the great trouble with bonds—under ordinary conditions they are beyond the reach of men and women of moderate means—beyond the reach of just the people who most need an investment for their savings that is not only safe but that will yield a more liberal return than the ordinary savings account. It was to meet this distinct need that we arranged for an issue of

6% FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS

Secured by Real Estate in Allegheny City Worth Nearly Double the Amount of the Bonds.

The issue is only $25,000, and the bonds mature in five years. They are in denominations of $100 and $500, and bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. The real estate securing the bonds is conservatively valued at $40,000, and the mortgage against which the bonds have been issued has been placed in the hands of the Columbia Savings & Trust Co. as trustee. The bonds are virtually shares in this valuable Trust Company mortgage. Nothing could be safer—nothing more desirable for the safe and profitable investment of savings.

SAVINGS BANKS PAY ONLY 4%

The savings banks pay only 4% and no savings bank in the city can offer better security. Real estate mortgages are the best collateral the banks have—the best that anybody can have, provided there is a sufficient margin between the value of the property and the amount of the loan. In this case the property being valued conservatively at $40,000 and the loan being $25,000, there is a margin of $15,000 to protect you against any possible loss. But in addition to that the property is what is known as income real estate, and earns three and a half times enough in rents every year to pay the interest on the bonds. There is no chance to lose. Another strong argument in favor of these real estate bonds is the provision by which the owner redeems a bond of $100 each month during the term of the issue, so that the rents are applied on the debt.

Now, the banks pay only 4%, yet the deposits they have earn 5½ to 6%. Safe? Of course they are safe, but if you can get just as great safety and 2% more profit, isn't it worth taking? Two per cent more interest means two dollars a year more money for you on every $100 you can save. Couldn't you use the extra two dollars just as conveniently as the banker? These are things which must appeal very quickly to thinking men and women. The bankers themselves buy real estate bonds. Now here is your opportunity to make just as much as they can on the same high-class security.

EASILY CONVERTED INTO CASH.

These bonds mature in five years, and if any holder finds that he needs money at any time, he can readily turn his bond into cash in any one of three ways—

1st. He can use it as collateral for a temporary loan at any bank or trust company.

2d. He can sell it outright to someone who wants just that sort of a safe and profitable investment.

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In this way you will see that your money is always at your service when you need it—and yet, while it IS invested, it is safe and earning a more liberal rate of interest than would be possible in any ordinary savings account.

40% DOWN 20% PER MONTH FOR 3 MONTHS

In order to bring these bonds more easily within the reach of people of moderate means we have arranged to sell them, when desired, on the easy payment plan of 40% down and 20% per month for three months.

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We want you to investigate this matter for yourself. You don't have to take our word for it. The more inquiry you make the more convinced you will become of the desirability of the investment and of the insecurity and risk of speculative schemes that promise big dividends, but that involve the risk and possible loss of the principal. Safety and satisfaction are the two things to be considered. They are the two predominating features of these bonds.

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6% AND SAFETY

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DEFENDS COURSE OF THE PRESIDENT

Senator Lodge Attacks Critics of the Administration in an Able Address.

DISCUSSES MONROE DOCTRINE

(By Associated Press to The Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Mr. Lodge today presented in the senate his views on the policy of the administration in the matter of the Algeciras conference over Morocco, and also with reference to Santo Domingo. He defended the course of the President in both instances, contending our representation at the Moroccan conference was essential to the protection of American commercial interests and only by the course pursued in Santo Domingo could foreign nations have been prevented from seizing the customs houses of that country and securing a position there which might threaten the approaches to the Panama canal.

Defending the attitude of the President Mr. Lodge said the President had as much right to ask the privilege of inspecting the secret journals of the senate as the senate has to ask all the instruction given by the executive to its representatives at the conference. He said the President has even been criticised for the part he had taken in bringing to a close the bloody war between Japan and Russia.

Discusses Monroe Doctrine.

Mr. Lodge entered into a discussion of the Monroe doctrine, in reply to Mr. Rayner's speech of a few days since, concluding that the policy of our government has been even against the temporary occupation of territory in the western hemisphere by European powers. He believed that to permit foreign powers even to take possession of customs houses on this side of the globe was unwise and it is better to prevent such a situation before it befalls than to correct it afterward. He was willing to admit the collection of debts was not a part of the Monroe doctrine. He did not like the present situation, but he would prefer it to the alternative of permitting a European government to take possession of the customs houses of Santo Domingo.

Mr. Lodge contended that to remove the ships from Dominican waters at this time would set a bad precedent. In closing Mr. Lodge said:

These attacks are aimed at the President of the United States with the idea apparently of creating an impression he is a usurper seeking to break through the constitutional limitations which have been drawn about his great office. He has the right to interpret the constitution as we have and he is as loyal to it and has always been as loyal to it as any of his critics.

This same charge was made during the campaign when he was a candidate for election to the presidency. It was made the main issue that he was a dangerous man, disposed to break down and disregard the constitution of the United States. The question was fought out before the people of the United States, and those who made the charge got their answer at the polls. They failed to convince the people of the United States that there was one particle of truth in their charge and this dangerous man, whom they held up as likely to involve the country in war has made the greatest achievement of his administration—the establishment of peace between two great warring nations.

Every step the President has taken has been in the interests of peace, our own peace and that of the world. I believe this treaty to be another important movement not merely for peace and prosperity of that little disorderly republic of Santo Domingo, but for the maintenance of peace and the removal of causes of discord in American waters and in the American hemisphere.

This old attack upon the President has now been renewed. It failed utterly when he was a candidate for election before the great tribunal of the American people. It will fail again and react upon its authors. What is the use of trying to arouse feeling now when the President has received the great indorsement of the American voters, when he has passed out finally and irrevocably from the region of candidates for the office of President and put his refusal in his own words as explicitly and as honestly as man could do it?

Yet they charge with usurpation a man who refused not merely to be a candidate, but even to accept the great office if it was again offered to him because he said, although technically, he had not received two terms, practically he had, and he wished to live up to the custom and the traditions which had been established by Washington. A man who is as definite as that, Mr. President, to the traditions of his country, I think can be trusted not to violate the constitution openly or secretly in an agreement with another nation.

Teller Agrees With Lodge.

Mr. Teller followed Mr. Lodge in a defense of the privileges of the senate in the matter of treaties. He complained of what he charged was a tendency to resort to opposition to a treaty as an attack upon the President. With reference to the Santo Domingo matter, he said that the executive department was proceeding just as it would if the treaty had been ratified. He agreed with Mr. Lodge that conditions in Santo Domingo might become such as to necessitate the interference of the United States, but urged that the executive alone could not take that step. He contended that in Santo Domingo the President had attempted to do what only an act of congress could justify and he said that the President himself had admitted he had practically carried the treaty into effect.

He said that contrary to what the President had said in his message the task was not imposed upon the executive of bearing the burdens of other nations. The President, he declared, had no right to put into effect any agreement or modus vivendi in Santo Domingo without authority from congress.

PREDICT NO RESULT.

Difficulties of Morocco Conference Insurmountable Between Germany and France.

ALGECIRAS, Jan. 24.—The confidential exchanges among the representatives in the Moroccan conference disclose the extreme difficulty of arranging an agreement that both France and Germany would accept. The German delegates put forward the attractive principle of disinterestedness and equal privileges for all. The French maintain that France cannot be disinterested. France would rather withdraw from the conference than tie up the political destiny of Morocco by international control.

France therefore may strive for a negative result.

France still counts upon Great Britain, Russia, Spain and Portugal, but her earliest hopes that the United States would be with her are beginning to diminish. The conference today accepted all the articles of the report of the committee on contraband relating to the prevention of the trade in contraband arms and passed to the consideration of economic questions.

TOWBOAT COLLIDES WITH A SHANTY BOAT

Six members of the family of Albert Graham, who occupied a shanty boat moored in the Ohio river at the foot of Benton street, Allegheny, were thrown from their beds early yesterday morning by a collision between the shanty boat and the towboat Cascade, which was floating in the river. The shanty boat was wrecked. The Cascade also sank about 10 feet away from the shanty boat. A week ago the Cascade sank near the Point Bridge. The rising waters of Tuesday night buoyed the wreck and she started down river. The steamer Harmony started after her and after catching the derelict proceeded to take her up stream, but the ropes snapped again and this time the Cascade careened against the Graham boat.

Mr. J. Thomas Reinhardt, banker and broker, 15 Wall street, New York, has prepared a series of very interesting letters treating of the movements of various stocks dealt in on the New York curb market during the year 1905, together with some valuable information concerning the respective properties. The stocks included in this list are American Can, American Writing Paper, Bay State Gas, British Columbia Copper, Bethlehem Steel, Boston Copper, Central Foundry, Chicago Subway, Dominion Copper, Granby Consolidated, Greene Copper, Greene Gold, Greene Gold-Silver, Interborough Rapid Transit, Mackay companies, Manhattan Transit, Mercantile Marine, Mitchell Mining, Montreal and Boston Copper, Nevada Consolidated Copper, Nevada Utah, Tennessee Copper, Union Copper, United Copper, Utah Apex, Utah Copper, White Knob Copper, and others.

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NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
205 Federal st., Allegheny.

ACCOUNTANT, as auditor manufacturing company's books; must be first-class man. Commercial Clearing House, 432 Wood st.

ANY intelligent person may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

ASSISTANT bookkeeper; also young man stenographer. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

BANK CLERK, young man for individual ledger. Apply to J. H. Frey, room 402 Sailor building, Diamond and Wood.

BARTENDER (German), 4 chefs, 3 coffee men, 5 waiters, bus boys, bell boys, dishwashers, kitchen men; positions open. Call at once.
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BOOKKEEPER and stenographer.
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MAN of character and ability with best references, to handle financial proposition. Can expect to make $500 per month easily. Merchant, manufacturer or professional man might do it without interfering with their regular business. Party in touch with capital can easily make $1,000 a month or more. Integrity of proposition cannot be questioned; have banking references. Address P-10, The Gazette.

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CLERK—First-class order clerk for wholesale wall paper house. Address P 79, The Gazette.

COMPOSITOR—Permanent position. Duncan Printing Co., 1503 Liberty ave.

COMPOSITOR wanted, two-thirder preferred; one who can make up. Apply H. J. Heinz Co., 1462 Main st., Allegheny.

COOPER and stableman for brewery.
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CUSTOM HOUSE clerks and inspectors, $900 to $1,500 annually. Particulars, Supt. Derr, 802 Empire bldg.

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MEN AND BOYS wanted to earn $5 to $8 a day after completing course of practical instruction at home or in our schools; graduates admitted to union; positions secured. Coyne Bros. Co. Practical Schools Plumbing and Bricklaying, New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis. Free catalogue.

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SALESMEN—Experienced in enameled ware goods, for Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia; salary according to the man; call, write. HAPGOODS, 705 Park Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

SALESMAN—Experienced specialty salesman to sell established premium baking powder to retail grocery trade on a good commission basis; references required. E. Schneider & Co., Cleveland, O.

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WANTED—Recruits for the U. S. marine corps; able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35; good character; must speak, read and write English; citizens of the United States or those who have legally declared their intention to become such; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply at Postoffice Building, fourth floor, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—At once, an experienced engineer for steam engine and boiler, also dynamo, for light. Noll, Sieburg & Co., 1817 East st., Allegheny.

WOOD choppers and timber pilers, $2 day.
THE PITTSBURGH, 105 Smithfield st.

YOUNG MAN for shipping clerk in supply house. Call or address room 402, 402 Wood st.

Female Help.

BOOKKEEPER—Young woman bookkeeper, experienced in ledger work; good salary to start. Call Thursday morning 501 Sailor bldg.

COOKS, waitresses, laundry girls, housegirls, pantry, laundry and maids girls, good wages, steady work. ATLAS BUREAU, 642 Smithfield st., second floor.

COOK wanted; a good cook at once; must have references. Apply to H. A. Reineman, 1502 Denniston ave., near Forbes st.

EXPERIENCED girl for general housework. Apply R. Steele & Sons, 254 5th ave. near Wood st.

GIRLS for housework, $5.00; laundress, $8.00; cook, $6.00; chambermaid, $5.00; housekeepers, $5.00; come at once. 707 W. Ohio, Mrs. Ford.

GIRL, 17 years old. 1208 Locust st., Allegheny.

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WANTED.

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WANTED—At once, girls for light clean factory work. Duquesne Incandescent Light Co., 7060 Bennett st., city.

WANTED—An experienced chocolate dipper. Apply Smith, cor. Wood and Franklin, Wilkinsburg.

YOUNG MAN for steel company; stenographer and office man.
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YOUNG LADY to assist in office work for a short period. 1521 Park bldg.

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AGENTS WANTED—Good offer to right parties; salary and commission. P. Thompson, 1021 Grant ave., Allegheny.

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$1,000 to $4,000 accident policies at $1 to $4 per year.
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DRESS CUTTING, fitting, skirt cutting, ladies' tailoring taught. McCORMAC, 905 Federal st., Allegheny.

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ROOM and board wanted by man and wife in private family, without children; state terms and location; references exchanged. Address L 95, The Gazette.

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WANTED—A good horse and wagon for grocery store. 5708 Bryant st., E. E.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

East End.

AURELIA ST., 6353, near Shady—First-class home cooking; outside boarders accommodated; reasonable rates; near East Liberty station.

COLLEGE AVE., 850—Desirable room, second floor front, with board; every convenience; Bell 'phone.

NORTH CRAIG ST., 168—Nicely furnished rooms with running water, and board.

RACE ST., 7307—Large furnished or unfurnished rooms; first-class table board, near car line and station.

ROOM and board for man and wife in private residence in East End; delightful location; references exchanged. N 70.

SHADY AVE., 436—Handsome large front room, modern house, every convenience, separate beds; suitable for two gentlemen; first-class table.

SOUTH HIGHLAND AVE., 256—Well-furnished rooms, single or en suite, with good boarding; gentleman preferred.

Allegheny.

SANDUSKY ST., 816, Allegheny—Boarders, meslers, meal tickets; best home-made bread in city; terms to suit.

FOR RENT.—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

ATWOOD ST., 432—Two large rooms, with kitchen and pantry, first floor; bath, gas; private family of one; no children.

WEST PITTSBURGH, near Crafton, 8 modern unfurnished rooms, bath, gas, hot and cold water; nice porch; $15 month. Apply immediately 202 Bessemer bldg.

East End.

PARK AVE., 246—Two or three modern unfurnished rooms; reasonable; on car line, near East Liberty station.

FOR RENT.—FURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

BEDFORD AVE., 1625—Neatly furnished parlor bedroom, $2 week; nice location; on car line.

BLUFF ST., 1605—Beautifully furnished room, suitable for two; modern conveniences; moderate rates; near dental college.

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CENTER ST., 218, Wilkinsburg—Two second-floor furnished rooms, single or en suite; near cars and station; excellent location.

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WYLIE AVE., 2842—Neatly furnished front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; conveniences.

East End.

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NORTH ST. CLAIR ST., 518—Well furnished alcove room; also other rooms; reasonable; boarding second door.

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SHADY AVE., 434—Very large second floor front room, with alcove; stationary washstand; large closets.

SHADY AVE., 253, near East Liberty station—Nicely-furnished front rooms; desirable location; reasonable rent.

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SOUTH HIGHLAND AVE., 239—Choice room, with board for two; references.

WALNUT ST., 6346—Furnished rooms, one front, near East Liberty station and all cars; private family; breakfast if desired.

Allegheny.

ARCH ST., 506, Allegheny—Roommate for young man; 2d floor; conveniences; reasonable to good party.

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TO LET.
$22.00—Rosetta st., frame, 5 rooms, bath, etc.
$25.00—Columbo st., brick, 6 rooms, bath, reception hall.
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$30.00—Kedron ave., brick, 7 rooms, bath, reception hall.
$50.00—St. Linden ave., brick, 9 rooms, reception hall.
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Spahr st., 5 rooms and bath, reception hall..$50
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East End Residences.

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Before Listed—Before Picked Over
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Date.....
S. H. LLOYD, Real Estate,
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I wish a.....of.....
(house or apartment)
rooms by.....in the
(what time)
.....section of East
End, renting for $.....to $.....
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Yours truly,
Name .....
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SEND for up-to-date rent list.
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Desirable East End Houses, $40 to $100 per mo.
5853 Ellsworth ave., eleven rooms; 5416 Black st., ten rooms; 1156 Murray Hill ave., eight rooms; 4633 Center ave., eleven rooms; 426 Dennistch ave., eleven rooms; Neville st., near Bayard, twelve rooms.
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For Rent—Two-story and mansard brick residence; 11 large rooms, reception hall; all modern conveniences; corner property; near Fifth ave.; rent reasonable.
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RENT $14.50—CLIFTON PARK—
Brick dwellings of 6 rooms each, gas, water, newly papered and in good repair throughout. Very good location and desirable place.
Lowest rent for this class of houses in Allegheny.

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BAILEY ST., near California ave., 2-story apartment; first floor, five rooms, hall, bath, pantry, gas and electric lights, etc.; rent $20.
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Immediate possession of above.
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$37.00—Fremont st., 5 rooms; all conveniences.
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$12.00—Rolla st., 4 rooms, water, gas, laundry.
$12.00—Bell ave., 3 rooms, water, gas, cellar.
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$ 8.00—Fountain st., 2 rooms, attic, water, gas.
$ 5.00—James st., 1 room, water, gas.
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3849 California ave., fine brick house, 10 rooms; all modern improvements.
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BRIGHTON PLACE HOUSES.
To Be Let—In Brighton place, Allegheny; house of 6 rooms; water and gas; low rent.
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6-STORY BUSINESS BLOCK.
To Be Let—6-story business building, 50x80 ft., at 726 Second ave. Apply at this office for price of rent, terms of lease, etc.
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TO LET—Corner Wood st. and First ave., 3 upper floors, each 30x90; heat, light and elevator.
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UPPER FLOORS, SUITABLE FOR RETAIL PURPOSES.
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FOR RENT—Nos. 7111 and 7113 Kelly st., Homewood apartment; four handsome apartments of 4 rooms and bath; steam heat and janitor service, each $27 per mo.
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FOR RENT—No. 249 Emerson st., Shadyside, stone front, brick house, 9 rooms; all modern conveniences; rent $55 per mo.
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HOUSEKEEPING FLATS
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A 5-room flat, $35 per month.
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Modern brick flat, 4 rooms and bath; 5 minutes from station and on car line. Immediate possession.
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FOR RENT.
STOREROOMS.
Two of the finest store rooms in Pittsburgh, 400-402 Smithfield st. Inquire
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Ask for THE SHIELD, containing the most complete RENT LIST in the city.
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Exclusive neighborhood.
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Center hall; 15 large rooms, 4 baths; modern improvements; very large corner lot. Most select East End district.
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Solid brick house of 10 rooms, bath, laundry, cemented cellar, automatic water heater, cabinet and tile mantels; handsomely decorated throughout; everything modern and in absolutely perfect condition throughout; price reduced to $12,000 for immediate sale.
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MUST BE SOLD.
COST $8,000.
MAKE US AN OFFER.
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20 ACRES good ground, underlaid with coal, within 10 minutes' walk of P. R. R. station and street car line; land in good state of cultivation; not hilly. Price $50 per acre.

88 acres one mile from New Alexandria, ½ mile to school; 3 acres in orchard, water in every field, very good land; very good 9-room house, open hall, good cellar, water in the house; good barn, 40x50; buildings and fences all good; on public road. Price $6,000.
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FARMS.
72 acres in Crawford county, near Springboro; 6-room frame house and barn; price for quick sale, $2,400.

100 acres, located 2½ miles from Ford City, Armstrong county; 11-room frame house, large bank barn, outbuildings; well watered; underlaid with coal; gas brings revenue of $336 per year; this is one-half mile from new car line; price for quick sale, $8,000.
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A. C. M'COMB & CO.,
326 Fourth ave.

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AMERICAN REAL ESTATE CO.,
531 Fourth ave.

FARM—50 acres, choice land; railroad station one mile; good house, barn, granary, windmill to force water to house and barn; good variety of fruit; after this crop is off, 30 acres oats now in; some timber; bargain to quick cash buyer. Harrington & Morrall, Niles, O.

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FOR SALE—Very choice lot, 85x226 ft.; location prominent, East End, in Braddock and Juniata streets; more frontage adjoining may be had. See
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CHOICE VACANT LOT.
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FOR SALE—Manufacturing plant, three-story frame ironclad building, 10,000 square feet floor space. Elevator; also engine if desired; stable and ironclad building in rear.
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Prompt service. Honest treatment.
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TO LOAN—$500, $800, $1,000, $1,200, $1,500, $1,800, $2,000, $2,500, and other amounts; straight 6 per cent 3-year mortgage money only, to put out on your house and lot; bring your deed.
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FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE.

Hump district, Fifth ave., within four squares of court house; three well-located business properties, each having a good frontage; good revenue producers; enhancement in value from prices we can name certain.

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For Quick Sale.
PENN AVENUE.
$840
Per foot for lot 25x100, rear 17th st. Property on each side held at $1,000 per ft.
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At Greentree, on the Wabash, 10 minutes from city, 5 minutes from Crafton. Entire piece lies well. Reduced to $3,500. Must be sold at once to settle estate.
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1 ACRE; very good new 4-room house, large chicken house; a very good property. Price $1,400. Possession at once.
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West Liberty, 2 acres of ground; only $2,500; this is a bargain; handy to car line.
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A comfortable modern home in Oakland, city; this property is clear of all incumbrance, and will exchange for a chicken farm conveniently located.
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NOTICES.

Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co.
Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders.
NOTICE is hereby given that the board of directors has called a special meeting of the stockholders to meet at the chief office of the company in the borough of East Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pa., on Monday, the 26th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., to vote for or against an increase of the capital stock of the company, and in case the vote of the meeting shall be for such increase of the company's capital stock, to vote for or against giving to the stock resulting from such increase the same preferences and priorities as the present stock of the company known as "assenting" stock; and in case the vote of the meeting is in favor of such increase to vote for or against the issuance, disposition and sale of said increase, at such price not less than par, at such time or times, and in such manner as the directors of said company shall by resolution prescribe, or otherwise; and to act upon any business relative to the issue of said convertible bonds which may be brought before the meeting. To determine the rights of stockholders entitled to vote at said special meeting the stock transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock p. m., on March 17, 1906, and will remain closed until 10 o'clock a. m., on March 27, 1906.
CHARLES A. TERRY, Secretary.
Dated January 23, 1906.

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PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for P. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones, 741 Forbes street.

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PROPOSALS.

PLANS and specifications for the new Pythian home are on the board at Pythian home, Harmony, Pa. Bids close January 30, 1906, at noon. Mail all bids to J. [illegible] president, 132 Diamond st., Pittsburgh.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS.

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PUBLIC SALE.

WM. M. McGILL, ESQ., ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, PARK BLDG., PITTSBURGH.

PUBLIC SALE
OF THE REAL ESTATE OF
HUGH DICKSON, DECEASED,
Situate on
Haldane Street, Twenty-Third Ward, Pittsburgh.

The undersigned executor of the estate of Hugh Dickson, deceased, will offer the following described real estate of the deceased at public sale on the premises, on
Tuesday, February 13, 1906,
At 10 O'Clock A. M.

All those two lots or pieces of ground situate in the Twenty-third ward of the city of Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, being lots numbers eighteen and nineteen (18 and 19), in the Squirrel Hill Land Company's plan of lots as recorded in plan book Vol. 10, page 182, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the easterly side of Haldane street, at the line dividing lots Nos. 17 and 18, in said plan; thence extending along said Haldane street southwardly fifty (50) feet, to the line dividing lots Nos. 19 and 20, in said plan; thence extending eastwardly and preserving the same width of fifty (50) feet between the said lots Nos. 17 and 20, in said plan, a distance of one hundred (100) feet to Moose alley; having erected thereon three (3) two-story frame houses.

Terms of Sale—One-third cash (10 per cent to be paid on day of sale and balance upon delivery of deed), and the remaining two-thirds secured by bond and mortgage upon the premises sold, payable in one and two years, with interest, said mortgage to contain a 60-day scire facias clause, with insurance and attorney's commission for collection.

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341-343 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.
J. C. MORROW, Auctioneer.

DIVIDENDS.

West Penn Railways Company.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 2, 1906.
DIVIDEND—The directors of the West Penn Railways Company have this day declared a quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-FOURTH (1¼) PER CENT on the preferred capital stock of this company out of the net earnings of the three months of the fiscal year ending December 31, 1905, payable February 1, 1906, by check to the stockholders of record January 27, 1906. Transfer books will be closed from Saturday noon, January 27, 1906, to 10 a. m., February 2, 1906.
W. S. KUHN, President.

PRESSED STEEL CAR COMPANY.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 24, 1906.
PREFERRED DIVIDEND No. 28.
A quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE-QUARTERS PER CENT (1¾%) will be paid on the preferred stock of this company February 1, 1906, to stockholders of record at the close of business February 2, 1906. Checks will be mailed from the office of the company. The transfer books will close at 3 p. m. February 2, 1906, and reopen at 10 a. m. February 23, 1906.
P. G. JENKS, Treasurer.

Office of
The Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company.
Pittsburgh, Pa., January 16, 1906.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company has this day declared a dividend of ninety-seven (97) cents per share upon its preferred stock, payable January 25, 1906, to stockholders of record evening of January 19, 1906. Transfer books will close evening of January 18, and will remain closed until January 25. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.
W. HAMILTON BRUNT, Treasurer.

National Union Fire Insurance Co.,
Arrott Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 23, 1906.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company has this day declared a dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT upon the par value of the capital stock, payable January 29, 1906, to stockholders of record January 26, 1906. Transfer books closed January 27. Checks will be mailed.
H. C. BUGHMAN, Treasurer.

PITTSBURG TRUST COMPANY,
Pittsburg, Jan. 25, 1906.
DIVIDEND No. 45—The board of directors of this company has declared a dividend of five (5) per cent, free of tax, on its capital stock out of the profits of the three months ending January 31, 1905, payable February 1 to stockholders of record January 25, 1906. Checks will be mailed. Transfer books will be closed from January 26 to 31, both inclusive.
CHAS. H. HAYS, Treasurer.

LOST.

LOST—Sunday, between 12 and 12:10, on Western ave., between Arch and Federal, a long mink neck piece. Reward for information leading to recovery. Address The Gazette office.

LOST—Lady's open-face, silver watch, on or near Fifth ave., Bellefield. Wednesday morning. Finder please return to 152 North Craig st., Bellefield, and receive reward.

LOST—Bracelet set with turquoise and pearls in Shadyside on Tuesday evening. Reward if returned to 425 Morewood ave.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

M'DOUGALL, Craig and Forbes, Pittsburgh; 27 Federal st., Allegheny. Every afternoon and evening; 10 lessons, $3; six private, $5. Society, stage, clog, buck and wing and fancy dancing, 50 and $10 a dance.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

BERRY DETECTIVE SERVICE, 435 Fifth ave. Bell telephone, Grant 414.

PERKINS UNION DETECTIVE AGENCY—320 Fourth ave. Telephones—Private exchange.

LEGAL NOTICES.

RULES AND REGULATIONS of the department of health of the state of Pennsylvania, to be observed by undertakers, sextons and all other persons in charge of the preparation, interment, disinterment and other disposition of dead bodies.

Rule 1.—Except by special permission from the department of health, no interment of any human body shall be made in any public or private burial ground unless the distance from the top of the box containing the coffin or casket be at least five feet from the natural surface of the ground, except where solid rock or water may be encountered; then the distance from the top of the box containing the coffin or casket shall be not less than four feet from the natural surface of the ground; and with the further exception that still born children and children less than 4 years old dead of any disease other than anthrax, cholera, diphtheria, leprosy, smallpox, scarlet fever, tetanus, typhoid fever, typhus fever or yellow fever, shall be buried at such a depth that the top of the box containing the coffin or casket be not less than three and one-half feet from the natural surface of the ground.

Rule 2.—No human body shall be placed in any unsealed over-ground vault, catacomb or other receptacle above ground or in any underground vault, except such as are fitted with a stone cover to be tightly cemented after each interment, unless the coffin or casket containing the remains shall be first permanently and hermetically sealed in a metal case.

Provided, That receiving vaults may be used for the reception of bodies for a period not exceeding 30 days during the months of October, November, December, January, February, March, April, and not exceeding a period of seventy-two hours during the months of May, June, July, August and September, except by the special permission of the department of health.

Rule 3.—The bodies of all persons dead of Asiatic cholera, anthrax, diphtheria or membraneous croup, epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis or cerebro-spinal fever, scarlet fever or (scarlatina) smallpox, typhus fever and yellow fever, shall be buried within 36 hours after death.

The undertaker in charge will be held responsible for the execution of this order and must present an affidavit as to the facts to the local registrar of the district in which death occurred on the official forms prepared for this purpose before receiving a burial or removal permit.

Rule 4.—Whenever any person shall die from any of the diseases enumerated in rule three, the undertaker having charge of the preparation and interment of the remains, shall be the only person authorized to insert the published notice of death, and shall be held responsible therefor, and such notice shall contain only the residence, name of deceased, cause of death, and date of death, and if desired the name of the parents, and the words "No funeral."

Rule 5.—The bodies of all persons dead of Asiatic cholera, anthrax, leprosy, relapsing fever, smallpox (variola or varioloid), yellow fever and plague, must as soon as possible, after death, be completely enveloped in a sheet saturated with a mixture of chlorinated lime, in the proportion of one pound of lime to one gallon of water, a 20 per cent solution of pure (not the dark commercial) carbolic acid, a 1 to 500 solution of corrosive sublimate, or a 4 per cent solution of liquor formaldehyd (solution of formal hyde) U. S. P., or formalin, after which it shall be wrapped in a layer of raw cotton not less than one inch thick and be encased in a coffin or casket which must be immediately closed and not reopened for any purpose.

Burial must take place within the limits of the registration district in which death occurred or in some district immediately adjacent thereto. The transportation of such bodies except by hearse or undertaker's wagon is positively forbidden.

The undertaker in charge will be held responsible for the execution of this rule and must present an affidavit as to the facts to the local registrar of the district in which death occurred on the official forms prepared for this purpose, before receiving a burial or removal permit.

Rule 6.—The bodies of all persons dead of diphtheria, or membraneous croup, scarlet fever (scarlatina), and epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis or cerebro-spinal fever, must immediately after death be enveloped in a sheet saturated with a mixture of chlorinated lime, in the proportion of one pound of lime to one gallon of water, or a 20 per cent solution of pure (not the dark commercial) carbolic acid, or a 1 to 500 solution of corrosive sublimate, or a 4 per cent solution of liquor formaldehyd (solution of formaldehyde) U. S. P., or formalin, and the body wrapped in a layer of raw cotton not less than one inch thick and be placed in a coffin or casket which must be immediately closed and not reopened for any purpose;

Provided, That the wrapping may be left off the face and the body placed in a coffin or casket fitted with a glass top.

Provided also, That only the immediate members of the family be permitted to view the remains.

Burial must take place within the limits of the registration district in which death occurred or in some district immediately adjacent thereto. The transportation of such bodies, except by hearse or undertaker's wagon, is positively forbidden; except that bodies dead of the diseases enumerated in this rule may be transported by a public conveyance or common carrier when prepared in the following manner:

The bodies shall be thoroughly disinfected by arterial and cavity injection with an approved disinfectant fluid, disinfecting and stopping all orifices with absorbent cotton and washing the body with the disinfectant solution, after which the body shall be completely wrapped in a sheet of raw cotton not less than one inch thick and be encased in a metal or metal lined coffin or casket and be hermetically sealed, or if an ordinary coffin or casket be used the outside case enclosing the same must be metal or metal lined and hermetically sealed.

The undertaker in charge will be responsible for the execution of this order and must present an affidavit as to the facts to the local registrar of the district in which death occurred on the official forms prepared for this purpose before receiving a transit permit.

Rule 7.—The body of any person dead of an non-contagious disease shall not be removed from the registration district in which death occurred by public conveyance or common carrier except under the following conditions: First, when the remains have been thoroughly embalmed and disinfected, or when shipped to such a point as can be reached within twenty-four hours after death, they shall be placed in a casket or coffin, and the said coffin or casket shall be encased in a strong outer box made of good sound lumber not less than seven-eighths of an inch thick, all joints must be planed, tongued and glued, top and bottom put on with cleats and cross pieces, all put together with screws, to be tightly closed with white lead, asphalt varnish or paraffine paint and a rubber band placed on the upper edge between the lid and box, and strong handles must be placed on each end and sides of said box. Second, when bodies are not embalmed or the destination cannot be reached within twenty-four hours after death the coffin, casket or outside case must be metal or metal lined and hermetically sealed.

The undertaker will be held responsible for the execution of these rules and must present an affidavit as to the facts to the local registrar of the district in which death occurred on the official forms prepared for this purpose before receiving a removal permit for said body.

Rule 8.—When it may become necessary to transfer dead bodies in transit from one railway train or steamboat to another, from railroad station to another, or from railroad station to ferry, the affidavit of undertaker and permit of the local registrar accompanying the remains from point of original shipment, shall be in all cases sufficient authority for such transfer.

Rule 9.—No dead body shall be removed from the place of original interment except under the following conditions:

No dead body shall be disinterred except a permit for the same be issued by the local registrar of the district in which the disinterment is to be made, the fee for such permit shall be 50 cents, to be paid to the local registrar by the person making the application, who shall present to the local registrar the correct name, date of death and cause of death for the body to be disinterred.

Disinterment permits shall be delivered to the sexton or other person in charge of the burial grounds in which the disinterments are to be made and be by him returned to the local registrar on Saturday of each week.

All disinterments shall be void after the expiration of seventy-two hours from the date of issue and no disinterment shall be made of any dead body shall be made during the months of June, July, August and September except by special permission of the department of health.

No disinterment of any body dead of smallpox, anthrax, Asiatic cholera, relapsing fever, yellow fever, epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis or cerebro-spinal fever, scarlet fever, diphtheria or membraneous croup, shall be made within ten years from the date of the original burial of the same without the special permission of the department of health, and the graves containing the bodies dead of the above named diseases shall not be opened for any purpose within ten years from the date of original burial without the special permission of the department of health.

The remains of any dead body shall not be exposed to view after disinterment without the special permission of the department of health.

The transportation by public conveyance or common carrier of any disinterred body is positively forbidden except the coffin or casket containing the same be metal or metal lined and hermetically sealed or the outside case containing the same be metal lined and hermetically sealed.

An affidavit of the facts in the case must be presented by the undertaker in charge to the local registrar of the district in which the disinterment is made and from which the body is to be transported, who will issue a proper permit therefor, and no disinterred body shall be so transported without such a permit.

Provided, That in c

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Industrial Stocks Generally Closed Higher—The Dealings Still on an Enormous Scale—Local Stocks Less Active but Firm.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The transactions on the New York stock exchange yesterday again approximated 2,000,000 shares. The market opened firm on a continuation of the rally that was in progress the day before, and the movement had the aid of higher London quotations. In the afternoon, however, profit-taking was on an enormous scale, the market became reactionary, and at the close prices were irregular. The largest sufferers on the decline were the high-grade railroad shares. Industrial stocks generally closed higher.

When the level of prices reaches the present height and transactions average well above the normal, the ordinary fluctuations do not count. Instead of eighths and quarters, the fluctuations are likely to be twice as large, and yet are no more significant than the narrower range in a quieter market. This fact is very well recognized by speculators, and it probably accounts for the lack of apprehension when the market sells off two or three points, and also for the rapid recovery which follows such movements.

The most prominent feature of yesterday's market was the strength of Union Pacific and Colorado Fuel and Iron, both of which made new high prices. Union Pacific was the leader in point of activity, and in the early dealings touched 160⅞. On the reaction late in the day it sold down to 157, and closed at 157½, a net decline of ⅜. The early buying was on rumors that the directors would declare a regular semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent and an extra dividend of ½ per cent, thus placing the stock on a 5 per cent basis. The selling was on a rumor that the directors had not been taken action on the dividend. There was no confirmation of any of the rumors. The movement of the stock, however, was very influential on the rest of the list. A sharp break followed in St. Paul, which had sold as high as 190, but closed at 187¾, a loss for the day of 3¼ per cent. Southern Pacific closed 1¼ lower. Atchison 1, Northern Pacific 1, New York Central 1¼, Northwestern ⅞ and Great Northern preferred 2 per cent lower than on Tuesday.

In the Pennsylvania group considerable strength was displayed during the early part of the day, but the whole list closed lower. Reading, which sold at 164 on Tuesday, broke to 155 yesterday and closed at 158¾, a loss for the day of 5½ per cent. Pennsylvania closed 1 per cent lower and the others fractional amounts.

Among the low-priced railroad issues there were several points of interest. Denver & Rio Grande common made a new high record and closed 1 per cent higher. The Wabash issues were very strong, and while they lost some of the gain, they both closed fractionally higher. Texas Pacific on unusually heavy transactions advanced from 36¾ to 39⅜ and closed at 38.

The strongest members of the industrial group were the railroad equipment stocks. Pressed Steel Car common advanced from 61¾ to 64½, and closed with a net gain of 2⅜ per cent. After the market closed, the directors declared the regular dividend on the preferred, but took no action on the common stock. American Car and Foundry advanced from 44½ to 47¼ and Locomotive rallied to 74⅝. Railway Springs closed fractionally higher. The United States Steel issues were moderately active, but closed nominally unchanged. Colorado Fuel and Iron rose to 83¼, dropped to 80, recovered to 83 and in the final reaction declined to 79½. Amalgamated Copper was irregular, but finally closed at a net advance of ⅝ per cent. Anaconda Copper closed 1⅜ lower. Smelting closed a shade higher, while National Lead closed ⅝ lower.

The local stock market was less active, but the more prominent issues were steady to firm. Crucible Steel common sold to the extent of 2,825 shares at 17 to 17¼, closing at 17⅛. About 1,500 shares of the preferred changed hands at 80 to 80¾. Pittsburgh Coal common rallied to 17, while the preferred declined to 59 at the close. Manufacturers Light and Heat was rather heavy and closed ½ lower at 53¾. The other gas stocks were dull and neglected. All the brewing issues were moderately active and firm. National Fire Proofing common was steady at 9 and the preferred closed a shade higher at 36. Westinghouse Electric was more active than for weeks past, more than 1,000 shares changing hands. The price advanced to 86⅝, but reacted to and closed at 85½. The directors issued a call for a special meeting of stockholders to vote upon propositions to increase the capital stock and indebtedness of the company. The mining shares were heavy. Lustre declined to and closed at 29¾, a loss of $1.75 a share. The authorities of Iowa stated the company had not yet observed the formalities in connection with the increase of the capital stock, and this announcement was probably responsible for the decline. Tonopah Extension declined from $7.60 to $7.30 and closed at $7.34. In the curb market Golden Anchor sold off to $1.30. There was very little change to the rest of the market, which closed steady.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

100	Crucible pfd...	80½	
100	do...	80¼	
100	do...	80¼	
50	do...	80¼	
100	do...	80¼	
100	do...	80¼	
100	do...	80¼	
20	Cons. Ice com.	7	
20	P. Coal pfd...	59	
5	Tonopah Ext.	7.60	
5	P. S. Stl. pfd.	112¼	
50	Mfrs. L. & H.	39¾	
50	do...	39¾	
50	do...	39¾	
50	do...	39⅜	
20	do...	38¾	
5	do...	38¾	
25	Cons. Ice com.	7	
15	Crucible com.	17½	
75	do...	17½	
15	do...	17½	
10	do...	17½	
300	do...	17½	
10	do...	17½	
50	do...	17½	
100	do...	17½	
100	do...	17½	
20	do...	17½	
100	do...	17½	
100	do...	17½	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

50	Crucible com.	17½	
50	do...	17¾	
550	do...	17½	
50	do...	17½	
100	do...	17½	
20	do...	17½	
10	do...	17½	
100	Ohio Tonopah.	.35	
100	Crucible pfd...	80½	
100	do...	80½	
550	Cons. Ice com.	7½	
50	Electric 2nds..	85½	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

20	Electric 2nds..	86½	
100	do...	86¼	
50	do...	86⅝	
50	do...	86½	
10	do...	86½	
65	P. Coal com.	16⅞	
15	H. W. R. pfd.	81½	
200	Ohio Tonopah.	.35	
200	do...	.35	
15	P. S. Car com.	53⅝	
100	Tonopah Ext..	7.45	
50	do...	7.40	
50	do...	7.35	
100	do...	7.35	
100	do...	7.33	
500	do...	7.30	
50	do...	7.30	
100	Ind. Brw. pfd.	40	
40	do...	40	
20	do...	40	
15	P. Coal pfd.	59	
3	do...	59	
5	do...	59	
10	do...	59	
20	do...	59	
15	Crucible pfd...	80½	
50	do...	80¾	
25	do...	80¾	
25	do...	80¾	
160	Marsden...	3¼	
50	Crucible com.	17	
50	do...	17	
50	do...	17	
50	do...

PRODUCE MARKET IS INACTIVE BUT FIRM

Trade Has Been Dull for Past Few Days—Egg Market Is Slightly Better.

The produce markets were steady yesterday, with little activity. Trade has not been heavy for the past few days. Receipts of vegetables of all kinds are slightly heavier than last week, and some goods of excellent quality are being received. There has been no changes in the quotations of this market for some time. Perhaps the weakest article is cauliflower. The quotations on the California variety were lowered Tuesday, and the demand is not heavy.

A slightly firmer tone is noted in the egg market. The receipts are still heavy, however. There was no change in the quotations yesterday of fresh gathered stock, but storage eggs dropped one cent, and the market is still weak even at that quotation.

The butter market is in an unsettled condition, as the supply of fresh creamery stock is rather limited, with a good demand, while imitation creamery and lower grades are reported as moving slow at present quotations. An advance is expected in the creamery stock about the latter part of this week or the first of next.

There has been no further change in the coffee market and advices from New York indicate the prices of future coffee are somewhat easier than they were during last week. The flurry in future coffee on the New York market caused an advance in the prices of all grades.

The apple market continues active for first-class stock and this class of goods commands prices higher than the outside quotations.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 24 cars hay, 3 cars oats, 2 cars corn, 2 cars bran, 2 cars straw; Baltimore & Ohio, 5 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car corn; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 7 cars hay, 4 cars corn, 3 cars oats.

The general market presented a little firmer feeling than on Tuesday, but there were no changes in quotations. The firmer feeling was caused, perhaps, by the receipts being lighter.

No. 1 timothy	$18.00@12.25
No. 2	$11.25@11.75
No. 1 clover	$9.25@9.75
No. 2 clover	$8.50@9.00
No. 1 mixed	$10.50@11.00
No. 2 mixed	$9.25@9.75
Straw, oat	$7.75@8.25
do wheat	$4.75@5.25
do rye	$8.00@8.50
No. 2 white oats	.36@36½c
No. 3 white oats	.35½@35½c
No. 4 oats	.34@35c
No. 1 white middlings	$21.50@22.00
No. 2 middlings	$21.25@21.75
do brown	$19.50@20.50
Bran, ton	$19.50@20.00
Wheat, No. 1 red new, at mill	.75@80c
Corn—New yellow shelled	.47@48c
New high mixed ear	.43½@43½c
New yellow ear	.50½@51½c
No. 2 Michigan rye	.75@76c

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy	$5.00@5.50
Other fancy	$4.50@5.00
do choice	$3.50@4.00
do California box	$1.75@2.50
Lemons, Messinas, fancy	$2.00@3.50
do choice	$2.00@2.75
Oranges, Florida	$2.75@3.00
California	$2.00@3.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.25@3.50
do doz	.40@50c
Bananas, ists	$1.50@2.00
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, smooth Cayennes	$4.00@4.50
Red Spanish	$4.00@4.50
Pears, bbls	$3.00@3.50
Limes, per 100	$2.00@2.50
Dates, stuffed	.18c
Figs, California, box	$1.90
Layer, lb	.10@12c
Grapes, Malaga, bbl	$5.00@5.50
do fancy	$6.00@7.00
Grape fruit, Florida	$4.50@5.00
Tangerine straps	$4.00@5.00

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens	.12@14c
do roosters	.8@9c
do turkeys	.17@18c
do geese	.10@11c
do ducks	.14@15c
do pigeons, doz	.90c@$1.00
Dressed hens	.16@17c
do springers	.17@18c
do roosters	.11@12c
do turkeys	.20@22c
Reed birds, doz	$1.25
Snappers, per lb	.8@9c
Pigeons, pair	.30@35c
Frogs, doz	$2.25@2.50
Rabbits, pair	.40@50c
Squirrel, doz	$1.00@1.50

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs	.12c
Light steers No. 1	.12½c
Cows, all weights	.11½c
Bulls, No. 1, over 60 lbs	.10c
Calf, green salt, No. 1	.13c
do No. 2	.11c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. Minn. pat	$4.75@4.80
Kansas pat	$4.60@4.70
Fancy winter pat	$4.25@4.30
Beans.	
Navy, choice, H. P	$1.80@1.90
Red kidney	$2.25@2.30
Cal. lima, lb	.5@5½c
Peas, dried, bu	$1.30@1.35
do split, lb	.3½@4c
do marrowfat, bu	$1.75@1.85
Oil, carbon, 110 deg	.12c
do water white	.13c
do Onyx W. W. 150 deg	.12½c
do Elaine	.15c
Miners' oil, special brands	.26@43c
Rice, fancy head, lb	.6½@7c
do fancy Japan	.4½@5c
do choice, Carolina	.5½@6c
Salt, No. 1, bbl	$1.10
do No. 1 extra	$1.20
do gran. rock	.90c
do pocket	$1.65@5.10
do dairy	$1.40
Lentils, fancy "6-O," lb	.4½@5½c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask	$7.50@8.00
do 15-gal keg	$3.50@3.75
do bbls	$8.50@6.00
Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb	.17@18c
do choice	.15@16c
do buckwheat	.15@16c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.05
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C	$1.90@2.05
do California, Y. E	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do stand	.80@90c
Cherries, California, white	$2.50@2.70
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	.75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	.65@70c
do 3-lb	.90@95c
Stringless beans	$1.10@1.50
Peas, marrowfat	.95@90c
do early June	.78@90c
do soaked	.65@75c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.50@2.75
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50
Raspberries	.85@90c
Gooseberries	.85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do standard	$1.05@1.10
do gal	$2.50
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.10@1.25
Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce	.75@85c
Salmon, red	.95c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	.95c@$1.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.81@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.30@2.40
do 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.35
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$2.80@3.00
do mustards, ¾s	$2.50
do French	$6.50@18.50

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.

Prints	.30@30½c
Tubs	.29@29½c
Ohio cream	.27@28c
Dairy	.20½@21½c
Rolls, new	.20@21c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new	.14½@15c
Ohio full cream	.14½@15c
do ¾ cream	.13@13½c
do Picnics	.15@15½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	.15@15½c
do block	.15@15½c
Eggs, selected	.30@31c
do strictly nearby fresh	.27@28c
do southern	.26@27c
do storage	.16@17c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
18 lbs and up	.10½c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	.10½c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	.11c
10 lbs and under	.11¼c
Skinned	.11c
Boneless boiled	.17½c
California	.9c
Shoulders, N. Y., cured	.8¼c
do skinned	.8¾c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	.12c
do 10 to 12 lbs	.11½c
do back strips	.10½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	.12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	.11¾c
Breakfast bacon, back stripe	.11¼c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	.8¾c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	.9c
do 16 to 20 lbs	.9¼c
do under 16 lbs	.9¾c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	.9¾c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	.10c
do 16 to 20 lbs	.10¼c
do under 16 lbs	.10¾c
Lard, pure, tierces	.8c

NUTS.

New California walnuts	.17c
Chestnuts, Italian	.7@8c
Hickory nuts, bu	$1.75@2.00
Walnuts, bu	.50@75c
English walnuts, lb	.12@12c
Butternuts	$1.25@1.30
Hazelnuts, lb	.11@12c
Almonds, lb	.14@15c
Pecans, lb	.11@12c
Shellbarks	$2.00@2.25

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs	.8@9½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb	.10@11½c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkgs	.7½@8½c
Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice	.10@11½c
do fancy	.11@12c
Cleaned currants	.9c
Prunes, Cal., lb	.6@10c
1-lb pkgs	.8½@9c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu	.70@75c
Cabbage, ct. S., ton	$20.00@21.00
Apples, Fancy, bbl	$4.00@4.75
Choice, bbl	$3.00@4.00
Ordinary, bbl	$1.75@1.85
do bu	.66@65c
Cal. celery	$3.75@4.00

PRODUCE.

Potatoes	.80@85c
Sweet potatoes, Jersey fancy, bbl	$2.25@3.50
Jersey sweets, crate	$1.60@1.15
do med., bbl	$1.75@2.00
do fancy, hamper	$1.60@1.25
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu	.70@80c
do yellow Danvers, bbls	$2.00@2.25
Silver skins, bbls	$3.50@4.00
do bu	$1.50@1.75
Valencia, crates	$3.25@3.50
do Spanish, crates	$3.40@1.50
Cabbage, bbl, G. S	$1.50@1.75
do red	$1.75@2.00
do savoy, bbls	$1.00@1.25
Green peppers, crate	$2.50@3.00
Green beans, bu	$4.00@4.50
Celery, Ohio, large bunches	.40@50c
do small bunches	.20@25c
California, celery, crate	$3.75@4.00
do doz	.75@80c
York state celery, doz	.50@60c
Lettuce, bskt	.40@50c
do hampers	$3.00@3.50
Endive, bbl	$5.50@6.00
Escarall	$4.00@5.00
Head lettuce, bbls	$8.00@7.00
Spinach, bskt	.50@60c
Boxbeages, bbl	$1.15@1.25
Cranberries, box	$5.00@5.50
Eggplant, crt	$3.00@3.50
Garlic, lb	.8@10c
Watercress, doz	.25@35c
Cauliflower, Cal., crates	$4.00@4.50
Carrots, bbls	$1.75@2.00
Cucumbers, doz	.75@1.00
Turnips, bbl	$1.50@1.75
do bu	.50@60c
Beets, bbls	$2.00@2.25
Squash, hubbard, bbl	$3.00@3.00
do banana	$1.75@2.00
Pumpkins, bbl	$1.00@1.25
Popcorn, lb	.4@5c
Mint, doz	.50@55c
Parsley, doz	.40@50c
Parsnips, bbls	$2.00@2.25
Horseradish	$5.50@6.00
Brussels sprouts, quarts	.14@15c
Ratishes, doz	.25@50c
Shallots	.40@50c
Strawberries, qt	.50@75c
Rhubarb, doz	.50@80c

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Cotton futures closed weak. Closing bids: January, 11.60c; February, 11.60c; March, 11.51c; April, 11.35c; May, 11.42c; June, 11.46c; July, 11.51c; August, 11.32c; September, 10.72c; October, 10.50c. Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands, 11.90c; middling gulf, 12.15c. Sales, none. The market opened steady at an advance of 2@5 points and soon increased the gain to a matter of 12@13 points on the active months on covering and some Wall street bull support, which was encouraged by better cables than were expected, the big spot sales in the English market and reports of a better demand for spot cotton in the south and firm holders. There were considerable cotton offerings at the advance, but offerings were well absorbed during the middle of the morning and the market ruled steady about 10 points higher. The market at midday was quiet but steady, with prices about 9 points net higher. Spot cotton quiet. Middling upland, 11.95c; middling gulf, 12.20c. Estimated receipts at the ports today, 24,000 bales, against 20,978 last week and 28,964 last year. For the week 160,000 bales, against 125,840 last week and 171,402 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 4,724 bales, against 9,227 last year, and at Houston, 6,097 bales, against 6,129 last year.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 24.—Good business done. Prices 10@12 points lower; American middling, fair, 6.63; good middling, 6.34; middling, 6.16; low middling, 6.02; good ordinary, 5.84; ordinary, 5.68. The sales of the day were 14,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 12,500 American. Receipts, 8,000 bales, including 300 American. Futures opened easy, and closed firm. American middling g. o. c. January, 6.07; January and February, 6.07; February and March, 6.07; March and April, 6.10; April and May, 6.13; May and June, 6.15; June and July, 6.17; July and August, 6.18; August and September, 6.11; September and October, 5.85; October and November, 5.78; November and December, 5.75.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of five points on steady European cables and a further advance in the rate of Brazilian exchange. Demand was restricted by larger interior Brazilian receipts, but offerings were very light and the market after showing little feature during the middle session firmed up in the last hour on local bull support and closed 5@15 points net higher. Sales were reported of 47,250 bags, including February at 6.90@6.95c; March at 6.95@7.00c; May at 7.15@7.20c; July at 7.35c; September at 7.50c; and December at 7.65@7.70c. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8 7-8c; mild steady; Cordova, 9½@12¾c. Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c; molasses sugar, 3 11-16c; refined steady.

Government Bond Quotations.

(Reported by Scully, Painter & Beech.)

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Prev. Day. Bid.	Prev. Day. Ask.
U. S. 2s reg., 1930	103½	103⅝	103½	103⅝
U. S. 2s coupon, 1930	103½	103⅝	103½	103⅝
U. S. 3s reg., 1908	102¾	103¼	102¾	103¼
U. S. 3s coupons, 1908	103¼	104	103¼	104
U. S. 2s small bonds	102¼		102¼	
U. S. 4s reg., 1907	103	103⅜	103⅜	103⅝
U. S. 4s coupon, 1907	103	104	103⅜	104
U. S. 4s reg., 1925	129½	130¼	129¾	130¼
U. S. 4s coupon, 1925	131½	131¾	131¼	131½
D. of Columbia, 3.65s	116		118	
Philippine 4s, 1914-34	109	110¼	109	110¼

Express Companies' Stocks.

Adams	240	United States	182
American	235	Wells-Fargo	240

WHEAT PRICES CLOSE LOW AFTER DECLINE

Lack of Telegraphic Facilities and Other Disturbing Features Break Market.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Mild weather in the west and the continued crippled telegraph service were responsible today for a weak wheat market. At the close wheat for May delivery was off ¾@¾c. Corn and oats were practically unchanged. Provisions 5c lower. The weakness in the wheat market developed late. Early in the session the feeling was quite firm, because of an active demand by commission houses. Opening quotations on May were ½c lower to ½c higher at 86¼@86¾c. The fact that the Liverpool market showed only a slight decline, notwithstanding the sharp break of yesterday on the local exchange, was the main support of the market. During the first offerings were small and prices made a moderate advance, May selling at 86⅞@86¾c. Later selling by commission houses and local brokers started the break and many stop-loss orders coming out, a quick drop in prices followed. May declining to 85¾c. The report of the weather bureau showed comparatively mild weather throughout the winter wheat belt and was an influential factor of late trading. The weakness was emphasized by the absence of news, the continued crippled condition of the telegraph service being a discouragement to the bulls. The market closed weak with prices at almost the lowest point of the day. Final quotations on May were 85⅝@85½c. Clearances of wheat and flour equaled 290,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 611,000 bushels, against 512,000 bushels one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 228 cars, against 466 cars last week, and 317 cars one year ago.

Considering the weakness in wheat the corn market was remarkably steady. Purchases by leading commission houses and decreased local receipts were important bull factors. Late in the day the market became a trifle easier in sympathy with the break in wheat, but the close was steady. May opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 45@45⅛c, sold down to 44¾c and 45¼@45½c, and closed at 44⅝@45c. Local receipts were 148 cars, with four of contract grade.

Trading in oats was active and the market was steady. Large sales of cash oats had a stimulating effect on speculative prices, and there was also a lively export demand. May opened unchanged to higher at 31⅞c, sold off to 31¾c and closed at 31¾c. Local receipts were 62 cars.

Provisions were firm early in the day on a fair demand by shorts, but later the market weakened on general selling. The market for live hogs was weak. At the close May pork was off 7½c at $10 45; lard was down 10c at $7 86; ribs were 8@9½c lower at $7 50@7 52½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow are: Wheat, 75 cars; corn, 218 cars; oats, 83 cars; hogs, 23,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close
WHEAT.					
May	86⅝	86⅝	85⅝	85½	86¼
July	84⅝	84⅝	83¾	83⅝	84½
CORN.					
January	....	....	....	41⅝	41⅞
May	45¼	45¼	44⅞	45	45
July	45⅜	45⅜	45⅛	45⅛	45⅜
OATS.					
January	....	....	....	30¾	....
May	31⅞	31⅞	31⅝	31⅝	99⅞
July	30⅝	30½	30⅜	30⅜	31⅜
MESS PORK.					
January	....	....	....	13 70	13 77½
May	14 20	14 20	14 05	14 05	14 12½
LARD.					
January	7 42½	7 42½	7 40	7 40	7 45
May	7 60	7 60	7 55	7 55	7 60
July	7 72½	7 72½	7 65	7 67½	7 72½
SHORT RIBS.					
January	....	....	....	7 37½	7 45
May	7 60	7 60	7 50	7 52½	7 57½
July	7 70	7 70	7 62½	7 65	7 70

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour weaker; No. 2 spring wheat, 84@86c; No. 3, 80@85½c; No. 2 corn, 42¼c; No. 2 yellow, 42¾c; No. 2 oats, 30¾c; No. 2 white, 32@32½c; No. 3 white, 31@31¾c; No. 2 rye, 66c; good feeding barley, 39½c; fair to choice malting, 42@50c; No. 1 flax seed, 42c; No. 1 northwestern, $1 19; mess pork, bbl, $13 67½@13 70; lard, the 100 lbs, $7 40; short ribs sides (boxed), $7 62½@7 87½; short clear sides (boxed), $7 60@7 70; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 29; clover, contract grade, $13 25.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	55,700	30,800
Wheat, bushels	47,300	27,700
Corn, bushels	281,100	293,100
Oats, bushels	402,400	200,200
Rye, bushels	6,900	1,100
Barley, bushels	85,800	11,100

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Flour—Receipts, 20,253 packages; exports, 24,101 packages. Quiet and barely steady. Rye flour quiet. Buckwheat flour dull. Buckwheat nominal. Cornmeal steady. Rye nominal. Barley dull. Wheat—Receipts, 75,000 bushels. Spot weak; No. 2 red, 88¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 90¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, 89¾c f. o. b. afloat. After showing firmness up to the last hour based on covering orders, steady Liverpool cables, fair clearances and a better northwest demand, wheat suddenly turned weak. It broke nearly a cent before the close under severe bear pressure and a withdrawal of bull support, leaving off ⅞@1c net lower. May, 90¼@91 5-16c, closed 90¾c; July, 89@90 1-16c, closed 89c; September, 87⅝@88¼c, closed 87¾c. Corn—Receipts, 63,800 bushels; exports, 114,926 bushels. Spot steady; No. 2, 56c elevator and 57c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 51¼c; No. 2 white, 57c. Options market was fairly active and steady until near the close, when it eased off with wheat, showing a final ¼c net loss. January closed 54¾c; May, 51⅛@51¼c, closed 51¼c; July closed 51¼c; September, 51⅛@51¼c, closed 51½c. Oats—Receipts, 51,000 bushels; exports, 62,730 bushels. Spot steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 30½@37c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 37½@38c; clipped white, 38 to 40 pounds, 40@41½c.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24.—Close: Wheat, No. 2 red cash, 90@94c; May, 85¾@85¾c; July, 81¼c. No. 2 hard, 85@85½c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 42c; May, 42c; July, 42¾c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 31½c; May, 31½c; No. 2 white, 32½@33c.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 24.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 86@86½c; No. 2 northern, 82@84c; May, 85¾@85½c bid. Rye, No. 1, 65c. Barley, No. 2, 64½@65c; sample, 39@64½c. Corn, May, 44¼c asked.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 24.—Close: Wheat, May, 85¾c; July, 84⅝@84¾c. Flour, first patents, $4 40@4 50; second patents, $4 30@4 40; first clears, $3 50@3 60; second clears, $2 45@2 55. Bran in bulk, $14 50@14 75.

TOLEDO, Jan. 24.—Cloverseed, cash and January, $8 20; February, $8 25; March, $8 30; April, $8 12; prime timothy, $1 60; prime alsike, $7 80.

DULUTH, MINN., Jan. 24.—Close: Wheat on track, No. 1 northern, 81¼c; No. 2 northern, 79¾c; May, 86¾c; July, 84½c. Barley, 35@45c.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Advices received from Guanajuato, Mex., say a deal is on foot to consolidate several mining interests that are now being worked on a small scale at that camp, together with the large milling plant there. New stamp mills of the latest type are being installed as rapidly as possible and a number of other changes and modifications are being made. American capital is becoming interested as never before and the chances seem good that heavy investments will be made there in the next few weeks.

The Anade Laurie Mining Company's mill has been closed down and it will not be in operation again until about March 1.

The Colorado Springs Copper Mining and Tunnel Company has transferred its holdings in the Lake George district for a consideration of $50,000 to the Michigan and Colorado Mining and Milling Company.

The New York Commercial says: "Persistent rumors were in circulation yesterday that the controlling interest in the Montgomery-Shoshone mines at Bullfrog would within the next few days pass to some Pittsburg and local capitalists who in recent years have become identified with the Tonopah Extension Company at Tonopah, and other properties at Goldfield and Bullfrog. Ever since the recent injunction against the Montgomery-Shoshone property at Bullfrog was dissolved, it has been known that negotiations were resumed for the control of this mine, where shipments were broken off some six months ago when the litigation for the clearing up of the title was commenced. The mine is known to be a valuable property and many offers have been made for a controlling interest. None of the bids, however, seem to have been sufficiently tempting to induce the owners to let their holdings go. The present negotiations, however, indicate a renewal of the former interest taken in this mine and development work is going on upon a large scale.

"There was also a report in circulation that steps were under way to secure the control of the Gibraltar Mines Syndicate property on Bonanza Mountain at Bullfrog. J. H. Shockley, a mining engineer, who has just returned from Bullfrog, and who is now in this city, said yesterday that while he had heard of rumors to that effect he was not in a position to make any definite statement. Referring to the Gibraltar property he said that there were over 500 sacks of ore at the mine waiting to be shipped, most of which represented ore taken out in the ordinary course of development work as no stopping had been attempted."

Pig Iron Certificates.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 1:45 o'clock call on the produce exchange:

	—Regular— Bid.	Asked.	—Foundry— Bid.	Asked.
January	$16 00	$16 25	$16 75	$17 25
February	16 70	17 10	16 75	17 00
March	17 08	17 50	16 80	17 05
April	16 80	17 00	16 80	17 05
May	16 75	17 10	....	17 10
June	16 75	17 10	....	17 10

Market steady.

Sales after call: 100 March regular at $16 80; 100 March foundry at $17 00.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is steadily growing in ease. This is seen more in the increased offerings of funds, particularly from out-of-town banks, than in any change in rates, although the latter are being shaded. Call and time loans are quoted at 5½@6 per cent, with occasionally 5 per cent quoted on demand loans with first-class collateral. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$16,275,771 20	$1,642,183 75
Last week	9,852,141 36	2,544,207 36
Last year	7,745,492 74	1,511,639 59

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Consols for money, 89 11-16; consols for account, 89 13-16; bar silver, steady, 30 3-16d per ounce. Money, 3½@4 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 13-16 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 3¾@3 13-16 per cent. Money was in active request in the market today and rates were firm. Discounts were easier, being affected by the low rate at which the treasury bills were allotted. Trading on the stock exchange was quiet and prices were irregular, the monetary considerations affecting home securities. Consols opened easier, but recovered toward the close. Home rails were fairly steady owing to the dividend announcements.

Americans opened dull, grew firmer to above parity and became fairly active. Norfolk & Western and Reading were strongly supported. Prices fluctuated wildly during the last hour, but closed firm. Grand Trunk hardened on the traffic increase being above expectations. Foreigners were irregular. Japanese were harder and Peruvians were flat. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 103¾. Copper was strongly supported to £79 today, and closed at £78, 10s. About 1,000 tons were sold. Tin was much sold on the eve of the Banca sale, but the efforts to depress prices failed, and tin closed with an advance of 1s 6d. About 900 tons were sold.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—Trading on the bourse today opened inactive owing to the lack of news from the Moroccan conference. Russians were weak. At the close prices generally were firmer. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 83.50 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 486.00. Close: Three per cent rentes, 88f 85c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 14½c for checks.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—Trading on the boerse today was unusually quiet. Exchange on London, 20m 48½pfgs, for checks. Discount rates: Short bills, 3 per cent; three months' bills 3¼ per cent.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $1,143. Total thus paid since Friday, $239,272, against $31,203 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $4,230,000. Payment by banks to government, $2,915,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $478,000 paid by government to banks; since Friday $1,579,000, against $6,490,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $2,279,000 also paid by government to banks a year ago.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Money on call steady, 2¾@4½ per cent. Ruling rate, 4 per cent; closing bid, 4½ per cent; offered at 5 per cent. Time loans easier, 60 days, 90 days and six months, 4½ per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange easy, closing firmer with actual business in banker's bills at $4 87.10@4 87.15 for demand, and at $4 83.70@4 83.75 for 60 days' bills. Posted rates, $4 84@4 84½ and $4 88. Commercial bills, $4 83½@4 83¾. Bar silver, 65½c. Mexican dollars, 50½c. Government bonds easy. Railroad bonds irregular.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $142,375,850; gold coin and bullion, $76,881,676; gold certificates, $34,165,436; silver coin and bullion, $9,380,653; silver certificates, $12,369,837; United States notes, $7,277,514; treasury notes of 1890, $36,963; national bank notes, $12,787,515; total receipts this month, $38,415,970; total receipts this year, $235,289,727; total expenditures this month, $36,449,000; total expenditures this year, $340,541,835.

Receipts and Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—National bank notes received today for redemption $1,174,245; government receipts from internal revenue, $871,871; customs, $1,253,691; miscellaneous, $177,396; expenditures, $1,990,009.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., Jan. 24.—Turpentine firm, 68c. Rosin firm: A, B, C, $3 47½; D, $3 52½; E, $3 57½; F, $3 62½; G, $3 67½; H, $3 57½; I, $4 42½; K, $4 97½; M, $5 25; N, $5 75; W. G, $3 05; W W, $6 15.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 24.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 24.—Spirits turpentine firm, 65c. Rosin, nothing doing. Tar firm, $1 80. Crude turpentine firm, $2 30, $4 50 and $6 50.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Wednesday, January 24, 1906.

Cattle—Supply fair; market slow. Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs., $5 25@5 50; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $5 00@5 20; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 65@4 90; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 40@4 65; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs., $3 75@4 20; common, 700 to 900 lbs., $3 25@3 70; good to choice heifers, $3 75@4 25; common to fair heifers, $2 50@3 50; common to good fat bulls, $2 50@3 85; good fresh cows and springers, $35 00@50 00; common to fair, $20 00@35 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply light and market steady. Prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs., $5 75@6 00; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $5 40@5 60; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $4 80@5 25; culls and common, $2 50@3 50; spring lambs, $6 00@7 00; veal calves, $7 50@8 25; thin, $4 50@5 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 35 double-decks. Market active and 10 cents higher. Prime heavy, 95 90@6 00; medium and heavy yorkers, 86 00@5 70; light yorkers and pigs, $5 00; roughs, $4 50@5 15; stags, $3 00@4 00.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Beeves—Receipts, 1,888 head. Prime and choice steers, steady; others slow to 10c off; bulls steady; medium cows, 10c off; others slow. Steers, $4 00@5 60; extra, $6 00; oxen, $2 75@4 25; bulls, $3 00@4 25; cows, $1 75@3 60; choice Ohio cows, $4 00. Exports, 15 cattle, 20 sheep and 3,800 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 800 cattle and 3,400 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 1,548 head. Veals steady; prime calves, firm; barnyard calves unchanged; westerns slow and three cars unsold. Veals, $5 00@7 50; tops, $8 75; little calves, $3 50@4 50; barnyard calves, $3 25@4 00; westerns, $4 25; dressed calves, steady to higher; dry dressed veals, 9@14c a pound; country dressed, pig-ic. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6,368 head. Sheep steady; lambs slow but full steady. Sheep, $4 00@5 25; lambs, $7 50@8 00; culls, $5 00@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, 8,350 head. Market steady; state hogs, $6 10@6 25.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000 head, including 200 southerns. Market best steers steady to 10c lower; others steady. Top, $5 70. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 00@5 60; fair to good, $4 00@5 00; western-fed steers, $4 50@5 50; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 60; southern steers, $3 25@4 75; southern cows, $2 25@3 50; native cows, $2 00@4 10; native heifers, $3 00@5 00; bulls, $2 50@3 80; calves, $3 00@7 00. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000 head. Market steady to 5c lower. Top, $6 47½. Bulk of sales, $6 37½@6 45; heavy, $6 42½@6 47½; packers, $6 40@6 45; pigs and lights, $4 85@6 42½. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head. Market steady. Native lambs, $6 00@7 50; western lambs, $6 00@7 35; ewes and yearlings, $4 50@6 00; western-fed yearlings, $5 50@6 50; western-fed sheep, $4 50@6 00; stockers and feeders, $2 25@4 75.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000 head. Market dull; prices weak; common to prime steers, $3 40@6 50; cows, $3 60@4 40; heifers, $2 25@6 00; bulls, $2 00@4 00; calves, $3 00@8 00; stockers and feeders, $2 40@4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 35,000 head. Market 5c lower; choice to prime heavy, $6 00@6 05; medium to good heavy, $5 90@6 00; butcher weights, $5 85@6 07½; good to choice heavy mixed, $5 85@5 90; packing, $5 35@5 87½. Sheep—Receipts, 22,000 head. Steady. Sheep, $4 50@4 85; yearlings, $5 00@5 50; lambs, $6 50@7 50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Butter weak, receipts, 9,019 packages. Extra creamery, fresh, extra creamery, 26@28½c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 17½@26c; same, held seconds to extra, 19@23½c; renovated, common to extra, 19½@20¼c. Cheese firm; unchanged; receipts, 1,529 packages. Eggs firm, unchanged. Receipts, 10,689 packages.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—Cheese unchanged; New York full cream, fancy, 14¼c; choice, 12½@14c; fancy, small to good, 13@13½c. Butter, 1c lower; extra western creamery, 27c; nearby prints, 30c. Eggs firm and 1c higher; nearby fresh, 31c at mark; western fresh, 31c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Butter easier; creameries, 18½@27c; dairies, 19@24c. Eggs steady,

COMPLAIN ABOUT RELIEF BENEFITS

P. R. R. Employes Do Not Like Long Delays—Wabash Work Is Progressing.

B. & O. OFFICERS MEET HERE

Complaint has been made recently by members of the voluntary relief department of the Pennsylvania railroad, that the relief machinery is working so slowly that when one has his certificate approved he does not know how many months he must wait for the check. In one instance an employe in the Pittsburgh district had his certificate for two months' relief approved last October, and has not yet received his check. The trouble, according to the men, is at the general office of the department in Philadelphia, as the checks are sent out to the men immediately upon receipt at the Pittsburgh office.

The relief department has made an excellent showing, according to the monthly reports. The payments of benefits in the divisions at Pittsburgh in December amounted to $31,426 75, being distributed as follows: Pittsburgh division, $18,391 56; Monongahela division, $5,881 15; River and Low Grade divisions, $4,083 40; West Penn division, $3,394 85; general agent, Pittsburgh, $76 80. The entire payment of the department for the month amounted to $134,028 20. The total death and disablement benefits from sickness and accident, from February 15, 1886, to December 31, 1905, amounted to $14,826,659 87.

Wabash Work Is Progressing.

The large amount of construction work of the Wabash in the immediate Pittsburgh territory is progressing rapidly. The company has now about 450 men engaged on the Thompsons Run branch, which will be a part of the line connecting the road with the Carnegie Steel Company's plants, and it is expected that this work will be completed early in May. The working force will be increased to day and night shifts in a few days. The Union Railroad Company has about 300 men on the construction of the Monongahela Southern road, which is the Carnegie company's end of the connecting line. The Pittsburgh freight house will be ready for use on February 1. The Bigham tunnel excavation will be completed in about three weeks, and the main line will then be used. It is probable that the Greentree tunnel will be completely lined during this year. The Union Switch and Signal Company is installing signals on the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal road. Work was begun this week on the installation of new ore machines at the Huron docks, and the old machines are being repaired.

B. & O. Officers Confer.

Third Vice President Potter, Chief Engineer Carothers, Real Estate Agent McCubbin and General Superintendent Finney were in consultation on Pittsburgh system improvements for the Baltimore & Ohio yesterday, most of the day being taken up with plans for improvements between Pittsburgh and Youngstown. It is understood these plans had something to do with the proposed new line from Pittsburgh to Ellwood City. The stores department of the company and also of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern, began a two-day conference at the Hotel Henry yesterday morning, all of the storekeepers of the two roads being present. General Storekeeper D. A. Williams of Baltimore, is presiding at the sessions. Purchasing Agent E. H. Bankard is attending the session.

Valley Will Open Venango Yard.

The Buffalo & Allegheny Valley will in a few days open its new yard at Cochran, near Oil City, upon which there has been construction for the past year. Owing to the name Cochran being so common, it was decided by Supt. Dabney to change the name to Venango. It holds about 1,000 cars.

Railroad Notes.

It is reported that the Pennsylvania has ordered 100 new passenger cars to be built at the Altoona shops.

J. R. Ruffin of Roanoke, Va., general freight agent of the Norfolk & Western, will spend today in Pittsburgh.

The Baltimore & Ohio has secured a 20-acre tract at Thirty-sixth and McKean streets, Philadelphia, for an extensive freight yard.

H. H. Ashton has been promoted from assistant general manager to general manager of the Chicago & Northwestern, to succeed W. A. Gardner, who becomes vice president.

John C. Wood, who has been traveling freight agent of the Indiana, Illinois & Iowa, will on February 1 become commercial agent of this road and the Indiana Harbor railroad at Chicago.

W. P. Schaufele has resigned as superintendent of car service of the Wabash lines east of Toledo, to become railroad and car service superintendent for the M. A. Hanna Company at Cleveland.

W. A. Cox, general agent of the Chicago & Northwestern at Portland, Ore., spent yesterday in Pittsburgh, as the guest of General Agent Talbant and other traffic friends. Mr. Cox is well known here, having made frequent trips to Pittsburgh while he was general agent at Philadelphia.

CHURCH CHARTERS MUST BE AMENDED BY MARCH 1

Protestant Episcopal Convocation Appoints a Committee to Look After the Matter.

Large attendance and close interest marked the proceedings of the winter convocation of the Pittsburgh diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, held yesterday in St. James' church, Collier and Kelly streets. About 50 clergymen were present. Bishop Whitehead presided.

The morning session included a paper on "Purgatory," by the Very Rev. Paul Matthews, dean of the cathedral of Cincinnati, and an address on "Parochial Missions," by the Rev. F. E. J. Lloyd of Uniontown. Luncheon was served by the ladies of St. James' congregation.

The principal business before the afternoon session was that relating to church charters, it having been found necessary to make material changes in all granted after the year 1854, in order to comply with the provisions of an act of April 14, 1905. The changes will have to be made before March 1, 1906, and a committee to act for the convocation was appointed. It includes George W. Guthrie, Turner W. Shacklett, Augustus P. Burgwin, the Rev. H. Hobart Barber and the Rev. E. M. Paddock. The Rev. Dr. J. H. McIlvaine of Calvary church read a book review on Prof. James' "Varieties of Religious Experience," and the Rev. F. C. Hartshorne of Kittaning read an essay on the "Rationale of the Rubrics." The next convocation will be held at Kittaning on June 23-24.

KIRSCHLER IS INDORSED.

Business Men of Tenth Ward Favor Him for Mayor—Trouble at Logan's Headquarters.

A meeting of the business men and property owners of the Tenth ward, Allegheny, was held last night at which John McNaugher presided. Charles F. Kirschler was indorsed for mayor, C. L. Mohney for common council, Dr. W. W. Wolf and Dr. S. S. Brown for school directors.

Early in the afternoon several drunken men assembled in the Logan headquarters and had an argument that developed into a fight. Fred Kampfeld of 926 Main street was arrested. Another small riot broke out at 5 o'clock with the result that J. R. Dowing, of Taylor avenue, was taken in. Still another fight was started shortly after 8 o'clock last night and policemen had to separate several belligerents.

Dr. W. W. Cole, who was quoted yesterday as saying he favored George B. Logan after he had nominated Kirschler as the candidate of the War Veterans association, denied last night that he had any intention of supporting Logan.

Eugenia Blair in "East Lynne."

At the Empire theater yesterday afternoon Miss Eugenia Blair varied her bill by presenting "East Lynne," appearing in the double role of Lady Isabel and Miss Vine. Miss Blair's portrayal is strongly emotional, and her supporting company was seen to better advantage than during the engagement. So large was the crowd that Manager McCulloch was forced to send several hundred women into the gallery. Miss Blair wore several new and costly gowns, secured during a recent trip to Paris, and these creations of the French modiste's art created a furore. "East Lynn" will be repeated at the Friday evening performance. Tonight, "Nancy Hanks."

Problems of Today.

A large number were in attendance at the meeting of the Women's club of the Sewickley valley, at the Edgeworth club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. W. K. Brown, chairman of the department of philanthropy, was in charge, and two good talks were delivered. Charles H. Bertels, manager of the Newsboys' home, spoke on the "Street Boy Problem," and Dr. Hewitt L. Nettleton of Sewickley, told of the needs and prospects of the proposed Sewickley hospital.

OVERRULES EXCEPTIONS.

Court Sustains Report of Auditors of Defunct State Bank.

Judge Kunkel of the Dauphin county court, handed down an opinion yesterday sustaining the report of the auditors of the defunct State Bank of Pittsburgh, and overruling all exceptions that were filed against the report. Distribution of the funds will shortly be made among the creditors.

Holders of New York drafts contended they should have preference over other creditors. Exceptions were also filed against equal distribution of the assets among checking accounts without interest, savings accounts with interest and certificates of deposit holders. All exceptions to the reports were denied.

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$15 ones for $10.
$25 ones for $15.
Beaver Collars and Ties, $20 ones for $12.
Muffs to Match, $15.
Kolinsabie Muff and Collar, $60 set for $40.
MINK SCARFS AND TIES—
$18 ones for $15.
$22 ones for $18.
$25 ones for $20.
$30 ones for $24.
$35 ones for $27.50.
$40 ones for $32.50.
LONG SCARFS AND BOAS—
$50 ones for $40.
$60 ones for $50.
$70 ones for $60.
MINK PELERINES—
$ 60 ones for $ 45.
$ 65 ones for $ 50.
$ 75 ones for $ 60.
$ 90 ones for $ 75.
$100 ones for $ 80.
$125 ones for $100.
$150 ones for $110.
$165 ones for $125.
BAUM MARTEN SCARFS, TIES AND MUFFS—
$40 ones for $30.
$50 ones for $40.
$60 ones for $45.
$75 ones for $55.
PELERINES—
$110 ones for $ 75.
$120 ones for $ 90.
$140 ones for $100.
$175 ones for $125.
ERMINE COLLARS, TIES AND MUFFS—
$ 28 ones for $ 15.
$ 35 ones for $ 25.
$ 40 ones for $ 30.
$ 60 ones for $ 38.
$ 60 ones for $ 40.
$ 75 ones for $ 50.
$100 ones for $ 65.
$150 ones for $100.
BLACK LYNX COLLARS, TIES AND MUFFS—
$20 ones for $15.
$30 ones for $22.50.
$40 ones for $30.
PELERINES—
$ 60 ones for $40.
$110 ones for $75.
Black Moire Astrakhan Coat—36 bust, 23 inches long — very fine—$200 value for $140.
Ten Seal Coats—best Alaska fur—24 inches long, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 bust—$250 and $400 coats reduced to $300 and $350.
Fur-lined Brown Broadcloth Coat—beaver collar and cuffs—$135 value for $100.
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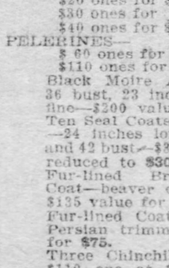
Ears Looked as if They Would Drop Off—Body Entirely Covered—Face Mass of Sores—Three Doctors Could Not Cure—Child Grew Worse—Face and Body Now Clear

CURED BY CUTICURA IN TWO WEEKS FOR 75c.

Mrs. George J. Steese, of 701 Coburn St., Akron, Ohio, tells in the following letter of another of those remarkable cures of torturing, disfiguring skin humors daily made by Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, after physicians, and all else had failed: "I feel it my duty to parents of other poor suffering babies to tell you what Cuticura has done for my little daughter. She broke out all over her body with a humor, and we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, they all claimed they could help her, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was being eaten away; her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of Soap and box of Ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents, which is all it cost us to cure our baby, after spending many dollars on doctors and medicines without any benefit whatever."



Complete External and Internal Treatment for every Humor, from Pimples to Scrofula, from Infancy to Age, consisting of Cuticura Soap, 25c. Ointment, 50c., Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), may be had of all druggists. A single set is often sufficient to cure the most distressing cases, when all other remedies, and even the best physicians fail. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

"Baby Blemishes, Skin, Scalp, and Hair."

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Brisk Buying of Fine Furniture at This Clearance Sale

All Odd Pieces and Discontinued Patterns Greatly Reduced in Price

The savings effected in all departments during this sale are most extraordinary. The appended list suggests the variety of goods involved, but is far from complete. Hundreds of articles are reduced in price which are not listed in our advertisements. And QUALITY is of the usual McElveen standard—ALWAYS THE BEST.

Dining-room

Golden Oak Extension Table	$150.00	reduced to	$120.00
Golden Oak Extension Table	125.00	reduced to	100.00
Golden Oak Extension Table	115.00	reduced to	80.00
Golden Oak Extension Table	100.00	reduced to	70.00
Golden Oak Extension Table	55.00	reduced to	40.00
Golden Oak Extension Table	33.00	reduced to	26.00
Golden Oak Extension Table	24.00	reduced to	18.00
Golden Oak Extension Table	16.50	reduced to	11.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	150.00	reduced to	120.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	105.00	reduced to	90.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	95.00	reduced to	70.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	90.00	reduced to	65.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	85.00	reduced to	55.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	68.00	reduced to	48.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	30.00	reduced to	22.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	25.00	reduced to	19.00
Golden Oak China Cabinet	19.00	reduced to	14.00
Golden Oak Buffet	56.00	reduced to	40.00
Golden Oak Buffet	54.00	reduced to	40.00
Golden Oak Buffet	52.00	reduced to	40.00
Golden Oak Buffet	42.00	reduced to	30.00
Golden Oak Buffet	36.50	reduced to	26.00
Golden Oak Buffet	32.00	reduced to	24.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	375.00	reduced to	295.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	300.00	reduced to	220.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	290.00	reduced to	200.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	215.00	reduced to	160.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	175.00	reduced to	140.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	150.00	reduced to	110.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	133.00	reduced to	105.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	68.00	reduced to	48.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	40.00	reduced to	32.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	38.00	reduced to	30.00
Golden Oak Sideboard	25.00	reduced to	20.00
Weathered Oak Exten. Table	100.00	reduced to	80.00
Weathered Oak Exten. Table	26.00	reduced to	20.00
Weathered Oak Exten. Table	14.00	reduced to	10.00
Weathered Oak China Cabinet	125.00	reduced to	90.00
Weathered Oak China Cabinet	85.00	reduced to	60.00
Weathered Oak China Cabinet	40.00	reduced to	30.00
Weathered Oak China Cabinet	30.00	reduced to	20.00
Mahogany Extension Table	52.00	reduced to	40.00
Mahogany Extension Table	38.00	reduced to	28.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	165.00	reduced to	125.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	135.00	reduced to	100.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	130.00	reduced to	90.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	115.00	reduced to	90.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	93.00	reduced to	70.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	68.00	reduced to	50.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	55.00	reduced to	40.00
Mahogany China Cabinet	35.00	reduced to	22.00
Mahogany Buffet	230.00	reduced to	170.00
Mahogany Buffet	168.00	reduced to	125.00
Mahogany Buffet	85.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Buffet	65.00	reduced to	45.00
Mahogany Buffet	60.00	reduced to	42.00
Mahogany Buffet	42.00	reduced to	29.00
Mahogany Sideboard	325.00	reduced to	225.00
Mahogany Sideboard	215.00	reduced to	150.00
Mahogany Sideboard	165.00	reduced to	120.00
Mahogany Sideboard	135.00	reduced to	100.00
Mahogany Sideboard	88.00	reduced to	60.00

Bedroom

Mahogany Bed	$200.00	reduced to	$140.00
Mahogany Bed	150.00	reduced to	120.00
Mahogany Bed	125.00	reduced to	80.00
Mahogany Bed	80.00	reduced to	55.00
Mahogany Bed	45.00	reduced to	35.00
Mahogany Dresser	225.00	reduced to	160.00
Mahogany Dresser	205.00	reduced to	160.00
Mahogany Dresser	175.00	reduced to	125.00
Mahogany Dresser	165.00	reduced to	110.00
Mahogany Dresser	100.00	reduced to	75.00
Mahogany Dresser	95.00	reduced to	75.00
Mahogany Finish Dresser	23.50	reduced to	16.00
Mahogany Finish Dresser	20.00	reduced to	15.00
Mahogany Finish Dresser	19.00	reduced to	14.00
Mahogany Finish Dresser	16.50	reduced to	12.00
Mahogany Finish Dresser	14.50	reduced to	10.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	170.00	reduced to	120.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	150.00	reduced to	100.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	95.00	reduced to	65.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	85.00	reduced to	65.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	85.00	reduced to	55.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	75.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	65.00	reduced to	45.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	60.00	reduced to	45.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	52.00	reduced to	38.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	47.00	reduced to	35.00
Mahogany Dressing Table	19.50	reduced to	15.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	250.00	reduced to	190.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	200.00	reduced to	140.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	190.00	reduced to	145.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	175.00	reduced to	125.00
Golden Oak Dresser	33.00	reduced to	25.00
Golden Oak Dresser	31.00	reduced to	22.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	50.00	reduced to	35.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	42.00	reduced to	25.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	40.00	reduced to	30.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	36.00	reduced to	24.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	25.00	reduced to	19.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	25.00	reduced to	19.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	21.00	reduced to	16.00
Golden Oak Dressing Table	18.00	reduced to	14.00

Bedroom

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Golden Oak Chiffonier	$62.00	reduced to	$40.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	49.50	reduced to	38.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	35.00	reduced to	25.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	33.00	reduced to	24.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	30.00	reduced to	23.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	28.00	reduced to	20.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	27.00	reduced to	20.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	10.00	reduced to	7.00
Golden Oak Chiffonier	9.00	reduced to	6.00
Golden Oak Cheval Glass	25.50	reduced to	20.00
Golden Oak Cheval Glass	24.00	reduced to	19.00
Birch Bed	85.00	reduced to	60.00
Birch Bed	50.00	reduced to	38.00
Birch Chiffonier	65.00	reduced to	45.00
Birch Chiffonier	45.00	reduced to	30.00
Birch Chiffonier	36.00	reduced to	25.00
Birch Wardrobe	85.00	reduced to	60.00
Birch Wardrobe	48.00	reduced to	30.00
Maple Bed	60.00	reduced to	40.00
Maple Dresser	100.00	reduced to	75.00
Maple Dresser	90.00	reduced to	70.00
Maple Dresser	75.00	reduced to	55.00

Library

Mahogany Davenport	$165.00	reduced to	$130.00
Mahogany Davenport	112.00	reduced to	90.00
Mahogany Davenport	100.00	reduced to	80.00
Mahogany Davenport	80.00	reduced to	65.00
Mahogany Davenport	75.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Library Table	115.00	reduced to	80.00
Mahogany Library Table	110.00	reduced to	80.00
Mahogany Library Table	90.00	reduced to	70.00
Mahogany Library Table	90.00	reduced to	70.00
Mahogany Library Table	90.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Library Table	80.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Library Table	78.00	reduced to	55.00
Mahogany Library Table	63.00	reduced to	42.00
Mahogany Library Table	62.00	reduced to	45.00
Mahogany Library Table	42.00	reduced to	32.00
Mahogany Library Table	32.00	reduced to	24.00
Mahogany Library Table	28.00	reduced to	20.00
Mahogany Bookcase	120.00	reduced to	80.00
Mahogany Bookcase	110.00	reduced to	80.00
Mahogany Bookcase	100.00	reduced to	75.00
Mahogany Bookcase	94.00	reduced to	70.00
Mahogany Bookcase	78.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Bookcase	65.00	reduced to	50.00
Mahogany Bookcase	50.00	reduced to	38.00
Mahogany Bookcase	47.00	reduced to	35.00
Mahogany Bookcase	45.00	reduced to	32.00
Mahogany Bookcase	46.00	reduced to	30.00
Mahogany Bookcase	42.00	reduced to	30.00
Mahogany Bookcase	24.00	reduced to	18.00
Weathered Oak Library Table	64.00	reduced to	45.00
Weathered Oak Library Table	52.00	reduced to	40.00
Weathered Oak Library Table	21.00	reduced to	16.00
Weathered Oak Library Table	20.00	reduced to	14.00
Weathered Oak Library Table	15.50	reduced to	12.00
Weathered Oak Library Table	14.00	reduced to	10.00
Weathered Oak Bookcase	90.00	reduced to	65.00
Weathered Oak Bookcase	45.00	reduced to	35.00
Weathered Oak Bookcase	37.00	reduced to	27.00
Weathered Oak Bookcase	28.00	reduced to	20.00
Weathered Oak Bookcase	22.00	reduced to	16.00
Golden Oak Library Table	135.00	reduced to	95.00
Golden Oak Library Table	105.00	reduced to	70.00
Golden Oak Library Table	86.00	reduced to	66.00
Golden Oak Library Table	72.00	reduced to	50.00
Golden Oak Library Table	55.00	reduced to	40.00
Golden Oak Library Table	44.00	reduced to	35.00
Golden Oak Library Table	38.00	reduced to	28.00
Golden Oak Library Table	28.00	reduced to	20.00
Golden Oak Library Table	22.00	reduced to	15.00
Golden Oak Library Table	17.50	reduced to	13.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	155.00	reduced to	110.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	84.00	reduced to	65.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	67.00	reduced to	55.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	44.00	reduced to	34.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	40.00	reduced to	30.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	33.00	reduced to	25.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	25.00	reduced to	18.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	22.00	reduced to	16.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	20.00	reduced to	15.00
Golden Oak Bookcase	19.00	reduced to	14.00
Leather Couch	60.00	reduced to	40.00
Leather Couch	60.00	reduced to	35.00
Leather Chair	72.00	reduced to	55.00
Leather Chair	70.00	reduced to	50.00
Leather Chair	63.00	reduced to	45.00
Leather Chair	50.00	reduced to	38.00
Leather Chair	40.00	reduced to	30.00
Leather Chair	36.00	reduced to	28.00
Leather Chair	35.00	reduced to	25.00

Parlor

Mahogany 3-piece Suite	$265.00	reduced to	$175.00
Mahogany 3-piece Suite	240.00	reduced to	150.00
Mahogany 3-piece Suite	190.00	reduced to	110.00
Mahogany 3-piece Suite	180.00	reduced to	150.00
Mahogany 3-piece Suite	160.00	reduced to	110.00
Mahogany Sofa	315.00	reduced to	240.00
Mahogany Sofa	84.00	reduced to	50.00
Mahogany Sofa	32.00	reduced to	22.00
Mahogany Arm Chair	225.00	reduced to	150.00
Mahogany Arm Chair	80.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Finish 5-piece Suite	165.00	reduced to	105.00
Mahogany Finish 5-piece Suite	139.00	reduced to	90.00
Mahogany Finish 5-piece Suite	123.00	reduced to	100.00
Mahogany Finish 5-piece Suite	110.00	reduced to	85.00
Mahogany Finish 3-piece Suite	123.00	reduced to	100.00
Mahogany Finish 3-piece Suite	110.00	reduced to	85.00
Mahogany Finish 3-piece Suite	90.00	reduced to	65.00
Mahogany Finish 3-piece Suite	77.00	reduced to	50.00
Mahogany Finish 3-piece Suite	75.00	reduced to	55.00
Mahogany Finish 3-piece Suite	68.00	reduced to	50.00
Mahogany Finish 3-piece Suite	63.00	reduced to	43.00
Mahogany Finish Sofa	38.00	reduced to	28.00
Mahogany Finish Sofa	32.00	reduced to	24.00
Mahogany Finish Arm Chair	22.00	reduced to	14.00
Mahogany Finish Arm Chair	20.00	reduced to	12.00
Gold 3-piece Suite	550.00	reduced to	375.00
Gold 3-piece Suite	360.00	reduced to	260.00
Gold 3-piece Suite	350.00	reduced to	225.00
Gold 3-piece Suite	245.00	reduced to	150.00
Gold 3-piece Suite	240.00	reduced to	150.00
Gold 3-piece Suite	220.00	reduced to	160.00
Gold Sofa	280.00	reduced to	150.00
Gold Sofa	100.00	reduced to	70.00
Gold Chair	95.00	reduced to	65.00
Gold Chair	80.00	reduced to	50.00
Gold Chair	70.00	reduced to	45.00
Gold Chair	57.00	reduced to	40.00
Gold Chair	42.00	reduced to	25.00
Gold Cabinet	345.00	reduced to	245.00
Gold Cabinet	300.00	reduced to	200.00
Gold Cabinet	235.00	reduced to	175.00
Gold Cabinet	190.00	reduced to	140.00
Gold Cabinet	160.00	reduced to	120.00
Gold Cabinet	135.00	reduced to	95.00
Gold Cabinet	125.00	reduced to	90.00
Gold Cabinet	115.00	reduced to	90.00
Gold Cabinet	90.00	reduced to	65.00

Office

Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 72 in.	$125.00	reduced to	$ 90.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 72 in.	115.00	reduced to	85.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 66 in.	110.00	reduced to	80.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 66 in.	100.00	reduced to	75.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 72 in.	95.00	reduced to	70.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 60 in.	95.00	reduced to	70.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 60 in.	85.00	reduced to	60.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 60 in.	75.00	reduced to	60.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 60 in.	67.00	reduced to	50.00
Golden O. Roll Top Desk, 60 in.	50.00	reduced to	38.00
Golden Oak Roll Top Desk	21.00	reduced to	15.00
Golden Oak Roll Top Desk	19.50	reduced to	14.00
Golden Oak Roll Top Desk	17.50	reduced to	13.00
Golden Oak Roll Top Desk	17.00	reduced to	12.00
Golden O. Flat Top Desk, 66 in.	36.00	reduced to	25.00
Golden O. Flat Top Desk, 42 in.	20.00	reduced to	14.00
Golden O. F. T. D. Desk, 5x6	84.00	reduced to	60.00
Golden O. F. T. D. Desk, 4x5	55.00	reduced to	40.00
Golden O. R. T. Typewriter D.	74.00	reduced to	50.00
Golden O. R. T. Typewriter D.	52.00	reduced to	35.00
Golden O. F. T. Typewriter D.	33.50	reduced to	25.00
Golden O. F. T. Typewriter D.	54.00	reduced to	34.00
Golden O. F. T. Typewriter D.	50.00	reduced to	30.00
Golden Oak Office Table	80.00	reduced to	55.00
Golden Oak Office Table	60.00	reduced to	45.00
Golden Oak Office Table	50.00	reduced to	35.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 72 in.	180.00	reduced to	130.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 72 in.	160.00	reduced to	120.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 66 in.	160.00	reduced to	120.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 66 in.	160.00	reduced to	115.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 72 in.	140.00	reduced to	105.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 60 in.	125.00	reduced to	95.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 66 in.	117.00	reduced to	90.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 60 in.	115.00	reduced to	90.00
Mahogany R. Top Desk, 50 in.	83.50	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany F. Top Desk, 66 in.	59.00	reduced to	40.00
Mahogany F. Top Desk, 55 in.	49.00	reduced to	30.00
Mahogany F. Top Desk, 55 in.	38.00	reduced to	25.00
Mahogany F. T. D. D., 5x6 ft.	120.00	reduced to	85.00
Mahogany F. T. D. D., 66x54 in.	105.00	reduced to	75.00
Mahogany F. T. D. D., 4x5 ft.	84.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany Office Table	60.00	reduced to	40.00
Directors' Mahogany Table	225.00	reduced to	160.00
Directors' Mahogany Table	110.00	reduced to	80.00
Mahogany R. T. Typewriter D.	100.00	reduced to	75.00
Mahogany R. T. Typewriter D.	100.00	reduced to	70.00
Mahogany R. T. Typewriter D.	81.00	reduced to	60.00
Mahogany R. T. Typewriter D.	65.00	reduced to	45.00
Mahogany Finish R. T. T. D.	46.00	reduced to	30.00

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